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GENERAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

A Fatal Row.

[illegible], Tex., Feb. 29.—A brutal and bloody [illegible] occurred between three men, Martin, Holland and Coward over a game of pitch, in the course of which Holland was killed. His [illegible] was mortally shot and Martin seriously injured.

A Strike.

North Adams, Mass., Feb. 28.—The weavers [illegible] Blackinton's mill are on a strike. The company announced 10 per cent. increase in wages; 15 per cent is demanded.

Verdict Set Aside.

[illegible], Feb. 28.—The supreme court has set aside the verdict of manslaughter in the case of Chas. H. Hartwell, conductor of the [illegible] train which it was alleged caused the Wollaston disaster on the Old Colony road in October, 1878.

[illegible] and Chinese Eastward Bound.

[illegible], Feb. 28.—This afternoon a special [illegible] arrived here from San Francisco having [illegible] 300 emigrants bound east, they having taken advantage of the $35 rates to New York. Among them were about 50 Chinese, [illegible] one car; 250 Chinese emigrants [illegible] through to-morrow.

Deadly Fight.

[illegible] school house, about four and one-half [illegible] of Seward, was last night the scene of a vindictive and bloody quarrel, in [illegible] man lost his life and several others seriously wounded. There had been [illegible] in the school house, and at the [illegible] of the meeting two of the participants [illegible] in a scuffle which soon developed into a grand fight. Some fifteen or [illegible] pistol shots were fired, the first of which mortally wounded William Bates in [illegible] who has since died. Four others [illegible] seriously injured by pistol bullets. The [illegible] for this fatal and lamentable occurrence [illegible] a neighborhood feud growing out [illegible] district school directorship.

[illegible] and Deadly Encounter.

[illegible], Feb. 28.—A prize fight took [illegible] in a room on Vine street, [illegible] Edward Douglass, of Philadelphia, [illegible] Harris, of Jersey City. Both men [illegible] punished, Harris having his [illegible] in the last round. He has [illegible] all day, and it is thought that [illegible]

[illegible] Officers Indicted.

[illegible], N. J., Feb. 28.—Thirty-four indictments, in aggregate, have been found [illegible], the city treasurer, and [illegible] conspiracy to defraud the city. [illegible] chiefly charge the officers [illegible] bought bonds at the market [illegible] own money, and turned [illegible] at par and interest, dividing [illegible]. Other accounts are for paying [illegible] to councilmen, to the [illegible] Co. and others.

[illegible] from Poisonous Stimulants.

[illegible], N. Y., Feb. 29.—David Hoag died at Port Henry to-day, from [illegible] morphine and other stimulants [illegible] walking a 27 hour race at [illegible] Friday, of which he was the [illegible]

Fire at Chicago.

[illegible], Feb. 29.—Goodwillie Brothers' [illegible] and Hanson's picture frame [illegible], at the corner of Kingsbury and [illegible], were entirely destroyed by [illegible] this morning. Loss, $40,000; little or no insurance.

[illegible] Railroad and Telegraph Companies.

[illegible], Feb. 29.—The Atlantic and [illegible] Co., which has had a working [illegible] and arrangement as to the [illegible] of dividends with the Western [illegible] Co., had prior to such [illegible] a compact enabling them, the [illegible] Pacific Telegraph Co., to construct along the line of the Baltimore [illegible] railroad. To-day, however, the [illegible] has assumed a still more complicated [illegible]. The Baltimore and Ohio [illegible] served a notice of its intention to [illegible] control of and operate the [illegible] of the Atlantic and Pacific [illegible] and the Baltimore and Ohio [illegible] between Washington, D. C. and Cincinnati, Ohio, Washington, [illegible], Newark, Ohio, and Chicago, [illegible] operated by the Atlantic [illegible] Co. under temporary license. [illegible] had been served, and the lines [illegible] the railroad company, an injunction served on President Garrett of [illegible] and Ohio R. R. Co., at the [illegible] in this city, to restrain his [illegible] taking possession of the [illegible] were put there by [illegible] and Pacific Telegraph Co. [illegible] of an arrangement made by [illegible] President, D. H. Gates, then superintendent of the Atlantic [illegible] Telegraph Co. This arrangement provided that the railroad [illegible] at that time afford of [illegible] between the Western Union [illegible] and Pacific companies [illegible] have the option of taking [illegible]. On Saturday last a contract was [illegible] between the Baltimore and Ohio [illegible] the American Union Telegraph [illegible] years to run, whereby all telegraph business of that railroad [illegible] in connection with the [illegible] Union Co. instead of the Western [illegible] Atlantic and Pacific Telegraph [illegible]

[illegible] of the Seas.

[illegible], Feb. 29.—The steamer Akron [illegible] to-day from Mediterranean ports, [illegible] that the Wilson line [illegible] bound from New York for [illegible] on February 22d in lat. [illegible] on her beam ends, with her [illegible] decks swept. The first and [illegible] quartermaster had been [illegible] and the remainder of the [illegible], 53 in number, were [illegible] the Alexandria and brought [illegible]. The Alexandria also on February [illegible] with the brig Julia from Port [illegible] Swansea, in a sinking condition, [illegible] her crew, 8 in number.

The Death Penalty.

[illegible], Feb. 27.—John Henry Johnson was hung this afternoon for the [illegible] David McDermott on March 7th, [illegible] Johnson made an address expressing [illegible] belief that he would go to [illegible]

Hanged.

[illegible], Feb. 27.—Howard was hung [illegible] in the presence of several thousand [illegible]

Store Robbed.

[illegible], Ka., Feb. 27.—Some expert burglars [illegible] store of J. S. Crew & Co. of [illegible] dollars worth of goods and [illegible] to Santa Fe.

Another Strike.

[illegible], Feb. 27.—Hoyt and Wyncoop's [illegible] hands have struck for 15 per [illegible]. This afternoon two strikers assaulted Wyncoop in the shop, but were [illegible] in going home all three [illegible] badly pounded and bruised [illegible]. Their faces were disfigured [illegible] broken. John Wyncoop [illegible] shots at his assailants wounding [illegible] seriously. Eight men have [illegible]

Charges Against Blaine.

[illegible], Feb. 28.—An Inter-Ocean Washington special accuses Blaine of dodging the [illegible] funding bill, so as not to offend [illegible] friends by advocating it, or his [illegible] friends by opposing it. It also [illegible] that the appointment of Pinchback [illegible] for delivering the Louisiana delegation to Sherman.

CENTRAL AMERICA.

Revolution in Central America.

Panama, Feb. 27.—The revolution in An[illegible] so far as heard from, has been con[illegible] an outbreak in Medillin, and to [illegible] in the streets with the result of some [illegible] or fifteen killed. Pedro Restrepo [illegible] charge of the government on [illegible] departure for his native state, has [illegible] ousted and a new government installed. The leaders of the movement are stated to be Gen. Rafael Toro and Dr. Gaitens.

WASHINGTON CITY.

The Jay Cooke Estate to be Sold.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The Washington creditors of Jay Cooke & Co. received through to-day's mail a large printed pamphlet containing a descriptive catalogue of stocks, bonds, western lands town lots, etc., belonging to the estate of the bankrupts. Under the terms and provisions of a plan for closing the estate approved last September, the sale of all these assets will begin in Philadelphia on the 31st of March and continue daily until the entire catalogue has been offered. The list of stocks and bonds alone fills over seven pages. There are several valuable pieces of landed property in the states of Pennsylvania and Ohio, including the celebrated Ogontz estate, and the island of Gibraltar in Put-in-Bay. The description of township lands in Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Wisconsin and Minnesota fills about 180 pages. Such a large sale will attract great attention and many of the creditors from Washington and elsewhere have determined to attend. Of course much of both the real and personal property is not very desirable as an investment, but from the immense quantities of both, a considerable return may be expected, and it is quite reasonable to anticipate that the estate will ultimately pay off in full its entire indebtedness.

Star Route Postal Service.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Senators Wallace, Beck and Booth, sub-committee of the committee on appropriations, to-day heard Postmaster General Key, Assistant Postmaster General Brady and Monroe Saulsbury, a western mail contractor, on the subject of star service deficiency. Generals Key and Brady argued that the amount proposed by the house bill should be increased to $1,700,000, and that its restrictive provisions should be stricken out in order to maintain the mail service at its present standard, including all increases of the number of trips and all expediting of service ordered during the last and current fiscal years. The amount originally asked for by the department was two million dollars, but $300,000 of this was requested for additional service for the remainder of the current fiscal year, which the department no longer contemplates.

Key's Recent Postal Order Suspended.

Postmaster General Key to-day sent the following order to Second Assistant Brady: "In consideration of the action of the house of representatives in appropriating $1,070,000 for continuance of the star service, and pending the action of the senate, suspend further action under my order of February 20th until further advised."

Yellow Fever on an American War Vessel.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The secretary of the navy has been cabled from Montevideo that the U. S. steamer *Marion* had arrived there from Rio, and that six officers and fifteen men had been down with the yellow fever. Lieut. Wallis died on the 23d, and Rogers, an apprentice, on the 20th. All the officers, except one midshipman, were well and convalescing. The officers and men were ashore on Flores Island. It is supposed that the fever originated at Rio while the vessel was coaling.

Coinage for February.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—The coinage at the mint during the present month was 3,885,020, valued at $5,129,060.

China's Foreign Policy.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Late advices from China confirm the belief expressed last year that the emperor's advisers are availing themselves of the sentiment evinced in the Chinese emigration bill to make their foreign policy conform to the ancient usage of the empire. Without ascribing recent acts and utterances of Chinese authorities to sentiments of resentment or treating them as retaliatory in their nature, it is reasonable to suppose that they are prompted in some degree by the treatment which the subjects of the Chinese empire have received from the law makers and citizens of this country. China is undoubtedly strengthening her armament and is manifesting a hostile spirit towards her neighbors and foreigners generally that bodes no good to parts of Asia.

Plans for School Buildings.

The sanitary engineer offered $500 in four prizes for the best designs for school buildings to be erected on the plan prevailing in New York open only at the front and rear. There were ten competitors. The following are the prizes: Arthur T. Matthews, Oakland, Cal.; Samuel F. Thayer, Boston; H. C. Koch & Co., Milwaukee, and R. G. Kennedy, Philadelphia. Frederick Baumann, of Chicago, receives honorable mention.

Confirmation of a Successor to Hayt.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Rowland E. Trowbridge of Michigan, has been confirmed commissioner of Indian affairs.

Postal Changes.

Postal changes last week: Established—Wells, Benton county, Oregon, James Gingley, postmaster; Medical Lake, Stevens county, Washington territory, Thos. R. Labue, postmaster.

Washington Items.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The report of the committee on rules must be again gone over in the house, but there will be new amendments to offer. They will probably be disposed of next week. The appropriations committee will then bring forward their bills which are in a very backward condition, the third month of the session having closed without any action upon a single one of the great money bills, or indeed any bill of importance.

One of the successful bidders for government paper contracts six weeks ago was in town to-day. He will lose $40,000 on the contract on account of the rise in paper in a few weeks past.

INDIAN AFFAIRS.

Outline of a Sensible Bill to be Reported by the Senate Indian Committee.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The senate committee on Indian affairs at a long special meeting to-day agreed to report for passage the original bill designed to cover the entire range of the Indian question by the enactment of various new provisions based upon the general principle that the United States should in a great measure abandon the policy of treating Indians as children, and place them as speedily as possible upon the footing of citizens. The main features of the plan outlined by the committee are, first: permanent localization of the Indians by allotting homesteads to them in the several territories, with provision that the lands so allotted shall be absolutely inalienable during a period of 25 years. Second: extension over the Indians of the general civil and criminal laws of the United States, or of the respective states and territories within whose borders they are located. Third: continuation of a certain degree of assistance to them by the government in line of their progress toward civilization, until they become self-sustaining by means of agricultural and pastoral occupations. It is not proposed by the committee to transfer the control of Indians to the war department, but the bill will largely divest the interior department of discretionary power in regard to the Indians by placing them individually under the control of the country's general laws. The provisions of the bill are to apply to the five civilized tribes of Indian Territory. Its details will be a subject for consideration at future meetings. Col. Brooks, acting commissioner of Indian affairs, said that all tribes except the Utes and Lembis are on reservations, and capable of supporting themselves by means of agriculture or stock-raising.

What the Poncas Claim.

The special committee inquiring into the matter of the removal of the Poncas to the Indian Territory and into the declaration of the Poncas that they never signed the paper asking to be removed into the Indian Territory, were informed by Bright Eyes that the Poncas, knowing nothing of the white men's geography, were at the time of the signing of the document utterly ignorant of the location or even existence of the Indian Territory; that Morgan, the interpreter, was an Omaha Indian equally ignorant upon that subject; that neither he nor the Poncas had any word in their language corresponding to the word territory, and could only speak of it in their language as the Indians' country or reservation; that when Morgan asked them as to their willingness to remove to the Indians' country or reservation they understood him to mean the reservation of Indians with whom for years they had been talking of uniting their fortunes, the Omahas. They therefore signed the document, which they supposed to be a petition for removal to the Omaha reservation, but which was really a petition for their removal to the Indian Territory. Afterwards they made a treaty of peace with the Sioux, and considered that action as deciding to remain on their own reserve, and did so until they were forcibly removed.

The Ute Prisoners—Chance that they will Escape Punishment.

Two of the Utes who participated in the Meeker massacre arrived here to-day, and it is understood will be sent immediately to Fortress Monroe. Douglas, the only other one of the Ute prisoners thus far surrendered is held as a prisoner at Fort Leavenworth. A current rumor, not yet verified, however, asserts that no punishment will be inflicted on these murderers beyond imprisonment, because it is agreed that their crime was committed on an Indian reservation outside of the jurisdiction of Colorado courts or of any United States tribunal. There are nevertheless precedents for trying and condemning to death Indian murderers by military courts, and although the Washington authorities are reticent as to their intention regarding these culprits, it does not seem probable that they will be allowed to escape the proper punishment. It is stated on good authority however that in consequence of the surrender of these three Utes word has been sent to the commanding officers in Colorado and New Mexico that they need not continue their preparations for an Indian war in the spring, it being considered certain that the entire Ute question will be settled satisfactorily within the next month or two by firm but peaceful negotiation.

THE CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAMME.

List of Matters Pending and Soon to Come Up.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—The Fitz John Porter bill will be taken up in the senate to-morrow, and is expected to occupy the attention of that body two days or more.

The star mail service deficiency bill will next be disposed of and the judiciary committee's bill for the distribution of the unappropriated balance of the Geneva award is then to be brought forward. The contest over this subject will in all probability run through the remainder of the week.

The house of representatives will next Tuesday vote upon the amendments to the new rules adopted in committee of the whole during the past month, after elaborate discussion. The amendment giving the committee on commerce control of the river and harbor bill will undoubtedly be retained. But the similar amendments in favor of the committee on agriculture and public buildings and grounds, and also Turner's amendment requiring the roll to be called on every bill making an appropriation of money, will probably be rejected. When this long procrastinated matter is disposed of, the house will be ready to settle down to the regular business of the session, and as the funding bill has been made a special order for March 2d, it will probably be the first subject considered, although the house may very possibly postpone it for a while in order to take up one of the three appropriation bills which have been reported from the committee, and now await action, namely, the Indian, consular, diplomatic and marshals' deficiency bills.

Debate on the funding bill is expected to be a long one on account of differences of opinion concerning the special subject covered by its provisions, but also because the consideration of this measure will open up a field for general discussion of financial topics.

The marshal's deficiency bill also seems likely to provoke extended debate, and aside from the measures above named, and important appropriation bills such as the army, the legislative and the omnibus appropriation bills, which have not been framed by the house committee, there are two very important election contests to be disposed of before any safe prediction can be made as to the probable length of the session, namely, the Washburn-Donnelly case, and the Orth-McCabe case. The control of the house by a vote of the states is involved in seating the democratic contestants in either of these cases, and the attempt will doubtless be resisted by the republicans even to the extent of filibustering tactics of indefinite duration.

Only one of this year's regular appropriation bills (pensions) has become a law. The military academy bill is in conference. The committee on fortification awaits action in the senate, and all the rest have yet to be considered and passed by the house.

From the present outlook it is difficult to see how congress can possibly adjourn before the middle of June. The only effective impetus which may be given to an earlier adjournment is the fact that members may want to get home to look after their chances for renomination, which nominations are usually made late in May or early in June.

Farley has been endeavoring to obtain action at the hands of the executive department in Washington by which the lighthouse reservation at Battery Point, Crescent City, shall be turned over to the city authorities as trustees for the present occupants of the land. This tract, comprising about eleven acres, is not needed by the lighthouse board, and they are willing, through the secretary of the treasury, to relinquish it upon condition that a right of way over it shall be reserved, and that they shall have free use of any wharves that have been or may be built upon it. The law authorizes the secretary of the treasury to sell unused lighthouse reservations at public auction, but Senator Farley is opposed to such a sale of Battery Point, because it might have the result of placing the commercial key of the harbor in the hands of speculating purchasers and of ousting bona fide occupants from their improvements. The treasury department authorities have therefore written to the secretary of the interior, expressing willingness to have the tract restored to the public domain and made subject to immediate entry by Crescent City as part of its town site, provided the above named conditions should be inserted in the grant; but Judge Marble, the secretary's law officer, yesterday gave an opinion that conditions can not be inserted in a town site patent and the matter is thus referred back to the lighthouse board again for consideration whether they will agree to relinquish the reservation for entry in the usual manner under, the town site law, or whether by insisting on their conditions it will be rendered necessary to cover the case by a special act of congress.

RUSSIAN AFFAIRS.

The Winter Palace a Resort for Vagabonds and Criminals—Melikoff's Appointment.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

LONDON, Feb. 28.—A dispatch from St Petersburg says that it may be unintelligible to many persons abroad how the nihilists succeeded in doing their work in the very residence of the imperial family. Probably no other building in St. Petersburg is less safe than the winter palace. It has always been a refuge for numberless vagabonds, workmen, friends of servants and others, and many without passports who could not live with impunity anywhere else. The imperial ukase of last April gave full power to Gen. Gourka to search the buildings of the palace, but even that severe governor general could hardly venture, such is Russian administration, to interfere with the special authorities of the imperial residence. There is an old Russian law which gives the right of sanctuary to criminals taking refuge within the buildings of the imperial palaces, so far as concerns the ordinary police, who have no jurisdiction in such cases. No fewer than 5000 persons have been living in the winter palace, and nobody has ever known the precise duties of one-half of them. The appointment of Gen. Melikoff as virtual dictator has created a good impression, especially in circles where he himself and his previous civil administrations are best known. His rule at Kharkoff, though mild, has been effectual in repressing disorders. His views generally are known to be liberal. All classes feel that the measures taken are necessary and wise, and think Gen. Melikoff is the man most fitted for the place. No well informed person believes in any widespread conspiracy amongst dignitaries, court officials or military.

Royal Appointments.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 29.—It is stated on good authority that Gen. Melikoff has appointed Count Pohelen, late minister of justice, privy counseller, and De Penten, late minister to France, Prince Ourouzoff and Gen. Ignatieff members of the new commission of supreme control. The emperor has received deputations from Poland and the Baltic provinces.

The *Golos* declares that in the event of Persian occupation of Herat, a Russian political agent must be received at Meshed, Persia, on the same terms as the English agent.

The Situation at St. Petersburg.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 28.—This city is in something very much like a panic. The recent explosion has produced a widespread feeling of insecurity through all classes. There seems very little hope of any concession from the government on the anniversary of the emperor's accession to the throne. Warnings have been sent from Berlin that on the 2d of March it is intended to blow up the principal streets of St. Petersburg.

The Fair Vera.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 28.—Vera Sussulitch was arrested in the apartments of an officer of marines, whose wife assisted in concealing her.

Students Arrested.

The *Novoe Vremya* announces that after the burning of the academy of Forest Culture at Moscow, on the 21st inst., seven students were arrested and copies of a revolutionary paper found in their possession.

The Russian Fleet.

BERLIN, Feb. 28.—The entire Russian fleet in the Aral sea is ordered into the Oxus to participate in Gen. Kaufman's campaign against the Turcomans.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

The Tay Disaster.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—Inquiry into the fall of the railroad bridge over the Frith of Tay, on the night of December 28th, by which many lives were lost, is proceeding at Dundee before the board of trade. Several painters, who painted the bridge last summer, testified that they saw numerous bolt holes empty, and found bolts in holes where there should have been rivets. They also found rivets without heads, and bars loosened and nuts unscrewed, so that one supporting column of the high girders was cracked from top to bottom, and held together with four hoop bands; that sometimes the oscillation of the bridge was so great they feared it would fall.

The House of Commons.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—In the house of commons to-day after a sharp and personal discussion and rejection by overpowering majorities of amendments offered by Donnell, Callan and Courtney, Northcote's resolution against obstruction was placed and a motion adopting the resolution as a standing order agreed to.

Ballantyne's Diamonds.

LONDON, March 1.—J. Ballantyne Harney has written to a firm of diamond dealers here saying that his discovery will not affect their business, as the cost of producing very small quantities is so great as to relegate his process to a mere laboratory experiment.

Germany Increases her Currency.

BERLIN, Feb. 28.—The German government has given notice of its intention to increase the amount of its currency to 12 marks per head of the population, instead of 10 marks as now.

Bismarck Wants Assistance.

Bismarck has enforced his demand for the appointment of a colleague by suggesting that if work is not thus lightened he must be allowed to retire altogether.

Hohenlohe's Appointment.

It is announced that Prince Hohenlohe will immediately enter upon the duties of secretary of foreign affairs for six months.

BERLIN, Feb. 29.—The *National Gazette* says that slight importance is attached in well informed circles to Prince Hohenloe's appointment to the ministry of foreign affairs, which is attributable to a desire to facilitate intercourse between the emperor and Bismarck on account of the indisposition of the latter.

A Big Undertaking.

BERLIN, Feb. 28.—The German government is about to revive the scheme for cutting a canal navigable for war vessels between the Baltic sea and the German ocean. The scheme is warmly supported in military circles.

The Afghanistan Programme.

LAHORE, Feb. 28.—The *Civil and Military Gazette* says that the following is the programme the Indian government will enforce, unless some unforeseen accidents occur: First, that Herat and Afghanistan are to be placed under Persian rule; second, that Southern Afghanistan, with Candahar as its capital, is to be a dependency under British protection; third, that Eastern Afghanistan is to be a dependency under British protection, with the capital at Cabul, these two dependencies to be garrisoned by Hazira Kazil Bash and other native levies under English officers; fourth, that portions of Afghanistan territory is to be annexed to Khelat and Cashmere; fifth, that India retain Kurth Khoshtand Khyber to Jellalabad; and, finally, there is a strong inclination to form Merv into a state under Anglo Persian guarantee.

The St. Gothard Tunnel.

BERNE, Feb. 28.—The work of piercing Mount St. Gothard was satisfactorily completed at 9 o'clock.

Appointment.

PARIS, March 1.—Grimand De Caur has been appointed chancellor of the French legation at Washington, D. C.

M. Necht has been appointed chancellor of the French consulate at San Francisco.

Election in the Victoria Province.

MELBOURNE, Feb. 29.—Parliamentary elections in Victoria have resulted in defeat to the government.

Aid for Stanley.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—The king of the Belgians is sending six small steamers to Stanley for use on the Congo river.

A New Arctic Exploration.

ROME, Feb. 28.—Professor Nordenskjold contemplates a new expedition.

Died.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—The death is announced of an eccentric lady, who styled herself the countess of Derwentwater and claimed vast estates belonging to Derwentwaters' family.

The University Boat Race.

Betting on the university boat race for the 20th of March is even.

Dr. Hall and Irish Relief.

A ward Irish relief association having asked the co-operation of Rev. Dr. Hall, the distinguished Presbyterian clergyman, and from Ireland, received in reply: "I am obliged, not without some pain, to say that the evidence to me is so conflicting upon the question of whether there is such want as the British nation cannot provide for, that I do not feel at liberty to call upon my fellow citizens for its relief."

A Personal and Political Matter.

VIENNA, Feb. 28.—There is no doubt that a strong conviction prevails in Germany, that so long as Gen. Mulintue, minister of war, manages military affairs, Russia-Germany cannot be assured as to the ulterior designs of Russia nor co-operate politically with her.

Church Appointment.

ROME, Feb. 28.—The pope at a consistory to-day, approved of the appointment of Rev. Mr. Junger, to be bishop of the diocese of Nesqually, which embraces Washington Territory.

THE TELEGRAPH WAR.

Sharp Practice on the Part of the Atlantic and Pacific Company.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—After the American Union Telegraph Co. seized the wires of the Western Union Co. on the central branch of the Union Pacific railroad in Kansas on Friday last, the American Union applied to Judge Otis of the district court of Atchison county, for an injunction to prevent the Western Union from interfering with the possession or control of the wires along that road, and the application was granted.

CANADA.

The Donnelly Outrage.

LONDON, Ont., Feb. 28.—In the Donnelly massacre inquiry to-day Wm. Donnelly testified that his brother John was called to the door of his house and shot. Witness testified that James Carroll, John Kennedy, Martin McLaughlin, a justice of the peace and James Ryder were the assassins. He heard some one crying fire at his house, and looking out through the bedroom window saw the men named standing before his house. His brother John went to the door and was instantly shot from behind a large tree, the gun resting on a crotch in the tree.

Very Near the Fact.

[From the Albany Evening Journal.]

Place the democratic party face to face with an emergency and the chances are that it will immediately proceed to call its weakest and worst elements to the front, and will end by putting its foot into it up to the arm pits.

THE PACIFIC COAST.

CALIFORNIA.

Providing Work in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 28.—The park commissioners have authorized David Bush to put as many men on the park as he can find means to pay for their labor. Bush is making a canvass for subscriptions with decided success. He succeeded in raising $500 this morning. Each subscriber has the privilege of naming some needy man, who has to be given employment, preference being given to men having families to support.

Discipline in the California Legislature.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 28.—In the assembly this morning Braunhart attempted to address the house, but the speaker ordered him to take his seat. Braunhart refused. The speaker then appealed to the members of the house, who ordered Braunhart to be put under arrest by the sergeant-at-arms.

Open Murder.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 28.—A Stockton dispatch says that John Petty, a prominent citizen, was deliberately shot and fatally wounded in the court house yard by Henry Parker. The cause of the affair was that the sheriff had levied execution on the property of Parker to satisfy an old judgment in favor of Petty.

The Situation at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 29.—The city has to all appearances resumed its wonted quiet and no further disturbance is likely at present. The impression among those best informed seems to be, that if the order to condemn Chinatown is carried out legally and in good faith, at the end of the thirty days' notice given, that there will be no further trouble, but if anything occurs to interfere with the execution of that project, there will be no guarantee for peace. The arrest of Gannon yesterday, appears to cause no excitement among workingmen.

The Sand Lot will Suppress any Unlawful Violence either by Capitalists or Chinese.

There was a large attendance at the sand lot to-day, but otherwise nothing to distinguish the occasion from ordinary Sunday meetings.

Assemblyman Braunhart was present under charge of the sergeant-at-arms of the assembly. Resolutions were adopted condemning the action of Speaker Cowdery and the assembly with regard to Braunhart to the effect that if he is deprived of his vote his constituents would go to Sacramento in force and use personal influence with members to prevail on them not to follow a cause that can only end in anarchy. The ward presidents to-day adopted resolutions from the first club of eleventh ward, repudiating any resort to violence, and pledging themselves on behalf of the party to suppress any violence, either instigated by Chinese or capitalists, and to assist in compelling obedience to the laws.

The Imprisoned Legislator.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 28.—Assemblyman Braunhart has obtained a writ of habeas corpus returnable before Chief Justice Morrison on Monday morning.

The Indian Troubles in Southern California.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Feb. 29.—No further details from camp. In the fight on Friday, near the Lower California line, one white man, Wm. McCair, and five Indians were killed.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

A Desperate and Possibly Fatal Row at Port Townsend.

PORT TOWNSEND, Feb. 28.—A severe cutting affray took place this afternoon at the Cosmopolitan Hotel in this city between two men lately arrived here from Seattle. From what can be learned one of the parties, a gambler, named McGraw, a few days ago won some money from a sailor named James McDonnell, and the latter felt sore over it, taking every occasion to insult McGraw. To-day he met the latter in the hotel and struck at him, which McGraw resented by cutting him with a knife in thirteen places, none of which are necessarily fatal unless erysipelas sets in from the man being intoxicated at the time of the cutting. Sheriff Miller arrested McGraw and a party who, it is reported, handed him the knife, and lodged them in jail. The wounded man was attended to by marine surgeon Galsaway. As district court is sitting, complaint was made before Judge Greene and a venire issued for a new grand jury, the old one having been discharged yesterday.

Instantly Killed—Robbery in a Church at Seattle.

SEATTLE, Feb. 29.—M. Ramsey was instantly killed at the Newcastle coal mine on Thursday night by falling down a chute, distance 200 feet.

During last Sunday night some person effected an entrance into the Catholic church in this city taking therefrom the silver chalice and other articles valued at $200. The matter has since been kept quiet in hope of detecting the guilty parties. It transpires that on the following Monday a portion of the chalice after having been broken up was sold to a jeweler of this city by a person who represented that he had just arrived from California with a family and that the silver was a remnant of some silverware broken up by moving. It is further learned that the remainder was sold at Olympia on Tuesday following under a similar representation, the party leaving immediately. It is supposed for Portland.

IDAHO.

Loss of Stock in Oregon and Idaho.

SILVER CITY, Feb. 29.—The recent severe storm has resulted in great loss of stock in Malheur, Jordan, Reynolds creek and other winter ranges in Idaho and Eastern Oregon. It is estimated that the loss already in these and adjoining valleys reaches nearly 20,000 head, and losses still continue.

A VOICE FROM WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

OLYMPIA, Feb. 26, 1880.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

The election of delegates to the national convention, by *four* out of *nine* members of the territorial committee, has very properly caused very general indignation among the rank and file of the party, and the condemnation by THE OREGONIAN is heartily indorsed by all save the Ferry ring and a few henchmen. But three newspapers thus far have had independence enough to denounce the outrage, all the others remaining dumb. So far as the Sound country is concerned the Olympia *Transcript* is the only paper that is not subsidized in some form or other by the ring, or under the control of Ferry and his brother-in-law, George D. Hill. In fact this latter individual supplies the brains for the entire official ring, and is making money out of politics, though an army officer. He is now serving out his third term as treasurer of King county, at a salary of from two to three thousand dollars, though positively prohibited from "being elected to or holding any civil office or appointment in any territory. (Revised statutes of the United States, section 1860.) It may be that the official bond of a person wholly ineligible, would be held good; but this is a question for the lawyers and the courts.

There is only one good thing about the matter, however, and that is that the delegates selected are understood to be anti-Grant all the time. The Grant movement has but few supporters here, while Blaine's nomination would be received with enthusiasm.

The course of THE OREGONIAN upon all public questions, meets the approval of good men of both parties. We can feel sure that official wrongs will be denounced whenever they appear.

A. B. C.

The Democratic Hope.

[From the Richmond Dispatch, Dem.]

We've stuck to Grant through thick and thin. He is our favorite republican aspirant. He can do more to reunite the Virginia democrats, and insure a "solid south" than any other man. Besides, we want the people afforded a chance to elect a king.

John Perkins, of Salem, killed a hog the other day that dressed 700 pounds.

INDEPENDENT SYSTEM OF RAILWAYS.

A Statement by Mr. William Reid as to the Intentions of the Company he Represents.

THE ROADS TO BE BUILT WITHOUT DELAY—DETAILS OF PROPOSED ACTION.

PORTLAND, Feb. 28, 1880.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

Permit me space to correct an unfounded rumor circulated this morning to the effect that this company had sold out to the O. & C. R. R. Such an assertion is *false* for the simple reason that neither myself nor my Portland associates have power to sell this company, because the enterprise does not belong to us, but is owned by foreign capitalists, who only undertook the same (unsolicited on their part), at *the special desire and request of the people* living on both sides of the Willamette valley through which our proposed railways will run, and who desired from these capitalists an *independent* and cheaper system—than at present in force—of transporting their produce by narrow gauge railways to ship navigation, and who stated that the people located therein would give their unanimous support and assistance to such independent system of railways in the Willamette valley if constructed by the capitalists referred to. This offer was accepted, and these gentlemen pledged themselves by written agreement not to sell, or offer for sale, their enterprise to the O. & C. R. R. Co., but to keep up and maintain an independent system of narrow gauge roads in western Oregon.

Pursuant to this agreement, which is practically a co-operative one, the organization was completed both here and elsewhere, the moneys subscribed, the iron contracted for, the locomotives bought, and the Dayton, Sheridan & Grande Ronde railroad (30 mile narrow gauge) was purchased by this company to form a link or portion of this independent railway system, to be continued on either to Portland or Astoria, or perhaps both.

The arrangements were negotiated four months ago with representatives of the people on the east and west sides, whereby it was agreed that whatever district or section of country that desired to be connected with the proposed independent narrow gauge system should have its railway or branch on certain conditions. Recognizing the value of this privilege, the people of Silverton immediately requested to be connected with the river, and spontaneously offered $20,000 of subscriptions in return for a guarantee on our part to reach the Willamette river this summer, and some point at ship navigation a year or so thereafter. It is therefore a matter of perfect indifference to us whether or not the O. & C R. R. now or hereafter extends a branch to Silverton. We shall faithfully implement our contract with the people of that town and go there at once, and continue our line southward, the evidence of our intentions to do all which is contained in the following copy of telegram received from San Francisco:

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27, 1880.

To William Reid, President Oregon Railway Company, limited: Will deliver five hundred tons before the 15th of April, and five hundred tons additional before the end of May, or first five hundred tons sooner if you require it.

PACIFIC ROLLING MILL CO.

These 1000 tons, the 200 tons on hand at Portland, and the two locomotives and cars now in transit for the Silverton division have secured Silverton's future prosperity. At the same time we are delighted to know that two small companies with a capital of $200,000, called the "Salem and Silverton R. R. Co., 14 miles in length, and the "Albany and Lebanon R. R. Co.," 12 miles in length, were to-day organized at Portland to run in connection with the O. & C. R. R. Co. on the broad gauge principle. The farmers of Silverton and Lebanon will thus have not only competition but a practical opportunity of seeing and testing the great advantages which the narrow gauge system in western Oregon possesses over the broad gauge. Especially will this be shown in the cheaper freights at which our narrow gauge railway will be able to carry wheat and produce from Silverton and Lebanon, respectively, to market. In conclusion permit me to add that the farmers of the Willamette valley (with whom during the last six years I have had more business intercourse than with other classes) know that I have never promised them anything which I have not been able, financially, to carry out; and if, as I have every confidence and believe, they will continue to give their promised assistance and support to our independent system of railways, both you and I, Mr. Editor, will, in that event (if we live till next year), find that the promises made by this company, to construct the narrow gauge roads to ship navigation, will be faithfully carried out. Respectfully, WM. REID, Pres.

THE NORTHWEST.

Eastern Oregon.

The *Inland Empire* advises the farmers of Wasco county to engage in the culture of grapes which grow well in that climate.

The canned fruits and vegetables used on the boats of the O. R. & N. Co., on the upper Columbia, are grown and put up in Wasco county.

Oregon has perhaps the only incorporated farms in the world. The first is that of the Umatilla Wheat Company, incorporated last November by J. H. Kunzle, C. H. Lewis, John R. Foster and others, to farm near Umatilla. The next one is in our own county, composed of Dr. N. G. Blalock, B. W. Griffin and others, all Walla Walla men they have entered up all the land in two townships and will plant so much wheat as to jeopardize the right of Dr. H. J. Glenn to be called the grain king of the Pacific.

The *Inland Empire* says: The work is fairly red hot at Celilo, now that the indefatigable Hallett is at the head of things. About 350 Chinese laborers have arrived there since our last issue, and their white tents are dotted all along like beehives, between there and the Deschutes. There are about 150 white men employed in blasting off a rock point about half a mile above the steamboat landing. Thirty head of horses, selected by Vice President Reed, came up on Monday's boat and were sent upon the work at once. The headquarters of the superintendent are now at Miller's bridge on the Deschutes. The piers for the bridge across that stream have been framed by a large crew of carpenters, under superintendence of Jos. E. Smith of East Portland. He will build all the bridges and trestles along the line. Opposite Columbus there will be three trestle bridges containing 104 896 feet of lumber, which is being sawed for them at Grant's mills. The top chords for the Howe truss bridges along this line are of the best fir that can be found on the lower Columbia river, and are being sawed for them at Muckell Bros.' mill at St. Helens. The barge *Wasco* is employed continually in carrying this material and heavily loaded trains are passing to the front at all hours of the day.

Western Oregon.

The Eugene blue ribbon club has a membership of about 1400.

Last week the wife of Rev. Anthony Simpson fell down a stairway at the Corvallis wharf and was severely hurt.

The Siuslaw agricultural society will hold a fair on the 20th of October. Following are the officers of the organization: President, J. P. Stewart; vice president, P. F. Davis; secretary, F. M. Nighswander; treasurer, Martin Wingard; directors, John Simpson, D. H. Coleman, J. A. J. Crow, Mrs. A. J. Nighswander.

ROAD SUPERVISORS.

The following is the list of newly-appointed road supervisors for this county:

District No. 1, all south of Stark street—Pembroke Gault.

District No. 2, all north of Stark street—Denis Kelley.

District No. 3, Albina, St. John and Columbia river—William Gaton.

District No. 4, Columbia slough—Geo. M. Long.

District No. 5, Mt. Tabor and Base Line—James Kenedy.

District No. 6, Powell's valley—Robert Gilbert.

District No. 7, Sauvie's Island—H. F. Kutemeyer.

District No. 8, all east of Sandy—Fredrick Emily.

District No. 9, Willsburg—Job Williams.

The tax levied is two mills, and is due and payable at any time when a demand is made by the supervisors between the first of March and first of January. It is payable in coin, or labor at $2 per day.

SUPREME COURT.

Daniel Sprague, plaintiff and appellant vs. F. A. Fletcher et al., defendant and respondent.

SYLLABUS.

F. who was an accommodation indorser, endorsed on the back of a note before due these words, "I hereby waive notice of protest for non payment;" held not to be a waiver of demand of payment from the maker when due.

Agreements of this character are to be construed strictly and not extended beyond the fair import of the terms.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE.

This action was brought against F. A. Fletcher as an accommodation endorser of a promissory note.

The complaint alleges that on the 2d day of August, 1875, one Jane Armstrong made and delivered to one T. Coyle her promissory note for $411 88, payable with interest at one per cent a month in ninety days after date: that before the delivery of the note to Coyle Fletcher, to secure the note and as an accommodation to said Jane Armstrong, indorsed the note on the back thereof; that afterwards and before the note became due, Coyle transferred the same to Bradley, Marsh & Co; that S. L. Marsh, one of the members of the firm of Bradley, Marsh & Co., before the note was due, transferred the same to Levi Anderson; that afterwards, and before said note became due, F. A. Fletcher indorsed on the back his waiver of demand and protest, as follows:

"I hereby waive notice of protest for non-payment. F. A. FLETCHER."

And that by reason of said endorsement of said note by F. A. Fletcher aforesaid, and his said waiver of notice of non-payment, he, the said F. A. Fletcher became, and now is liable for the payment, etc.; that the note belongs to the plaintiff and is wholly unpaid.

To this complaint defendant Fletcher interposed a demurrer upon the ground that it does not state facts sufficient to constitute a cause of action.

The court having sustained the demurrer, judgment was rendered against the plaintiff for costs, from which an appeal has been taken to this court.

OPINION BY PRIM J.

The objection to the complaint is that the respondent is sued as an endorser, without any allegation of demand of payment being made upon the maker, when the note became due, nor is there any excuse for the failure of such demand shown. On the other hand it is claimed that demand and notice of non-payment were specially waived by an endorsement on the note before due in these words, "I hereby waive notice of protest for non payment" signed by the endorser.

The question for consideration is whether this operated as a waiver by the endorser of demand of payment as well as a notice of such non-payment.

We think it did not so operate. The general rule is that agreements of this character are to be construed strictly and not extended beyond the fair import of the terms thereof. (Story Promissory Notes, sec. 272, Berkshire Bank vs. Jones 6, Mass. 24, Backus vs. Shipard 11, 629.)

In this case the endorser does not say that he will waive demand of payment, but that he will "waive notice of protest for non payment." Demand and notice are two distinct things, both of which are necessary to charge an endorser and only one of them is waived by the endorser in this case.

But it is claimed by appellant that the endorsement operated as a waiver of both and the following decisions are cited to sustain the proposition: (Coddington vs. Davis et al 3, 16; Matthey vs. Galley 21 Cal. 63, 19 Ind. 110.)

In Coddington vs. Davis, the endorser wrote to the holder as follows, "You need not protest T. B. C's note due &c. I will waive the necessity of protest." This was held sufficient to dispense with a presentment and notice of non-payment on the ground that the word "protest" so used by the endorser in connection with the promissory note was understood to mean the taking of such steps as were required by law to charge an endorser, that is, protest was understood to include both demand and notice.

Although in a technical sense the term protest means only a formal declaration drawn up and signed by the notary, yet, as used by commercial men, it includes all the steps necessary to charge an endorser: (Burrill's Law Dict. 317, 2 Ohio (N. S.) 345.)

The case in 4 California is in point, but not a single case cited in the opinion to sustain it.

The case in 14 Indiana does not come up to this case, there the agreement was that "protest and notice of protest were waived" and were held sufficient to include waiver of demand.

Thus it will be seen that none of the cases cited sustained the proposition of appellant except the California case, while there are numerous decisions holding a contrary doctrine: (8 Mass. 524, Freeman vs O'Brien, 38 Iowa 406, Scott vs. Gruner, 16 Conn. 103.)

The judgment of the court below is affirmed and case remanded to the court below for further proceedings.

SCHOOL FOR DEAF MUTES.

SALEM, March 1, 1880.

The undersigned, having been requested by the state board of education to resume work as principal of the Oregon School for Deaf Mutes, would call attention to the following announcement:

The school will be reopened on Wednesday, March 31, 1880, in new and commodious quarters, situated in a healthful and quiet location. Mrs. R. McCullough (late Mrs. Kanuse) has been engaged as matron, and Wm. S. Smith and Mrs. Knight will assist in teaching. Mr. McCullough will be employed as general helper. The aim will be to surround the pupils with the restraints and comforts of a well regulated home, and to supply them with the best instruction possible.

Parents are requested to furnish their children with clothing and bedding, as heretofore. Both boys and girls will be required to help in the light work of the institution, under direction of the officers.

The matter of admission is in the hands of the state board of education, and those who wish to secure the admission of pupils at state charge should send written applications, stating reasons, before March 30, if possible.

Parents and guardians are urged to have their children present the first day of the term, if possible. For further particulars address P. S. KNIGHT, Principal.

The stockholders of the Esther mining company met at Roseburg last week and elected the following directors; Messrs. A. Rose, J. F. Watson, John Rast, T. Beal and W. H. Byars. At a subsequent meeting of the board W. H. Byars was elected president; J. C. Fullerton, secretary, and W. I. Friedlander, treasurer.

During February the entries at the land office in the Dalles were 70 of timber culture, 107 pre emption, 22 homestead, 6 cash and 5 of final homestead proof.

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The Daily Oregonian.

MONDAY MORNING MARCH 1 1880

AN OFFICIAL OPINION

We should not expect the state superintendent of public instruction to agree with the opinion That [illegible] has presented in regard to the public schools. In common with the other professors of the system which he has helped to make and from which he derives employment he is expected to come to its defense and claim for it great efficiency and marvellous results. From this professional and official standpoint we should naturally look for stout assertion of the opinion that the schools of the present time are doing more work and better work and with better results than ever before. To those who look no deeper than the mere smattering attainments furnished by the schools this opinion may be sufficient. But to those who know that schooling in this fashion furnishes no equipment for the practical affairs and hard struggles of life there is different judgment. Our city schools are long praised as superior to those in the country. If education means only a smatter of many school books, this doubtless is true. But if it means practical instruction part of the year in the elements of school learning, with opportunity for discipline during the remainder of the year in useful industry then the country method is the better of the two. It requires no very profound observer to determine which of these methods is producing the more self reliant and useful men and women. The country districts, where school is kept but half the year are to be congratulated on their advantages. The fact that their children cannot be kept at school throughout the year is a piece of saving good fortune, both to the children and to the country. It is the one circumstance which gives assurance that all our youth are not to be "educated" till their habits are spoiled for useful industrial and productive employments. As so many others have done and are doing every day the state superintendent mistakes the superficial results of the schools for actual results. He looks on the course of school study as an end and not as a means, and when children are found pursuing many studies, acquiring a text-book knowledge or veneer, and making a ready display of cheap trumpery at school examinations, it is supposed that the system of public instruction is rapidly approaching perfection. In the schools of the cities these results are more apparent than in schools of the country, hence the former are praised and the latter disparaged. But from which class of these schools do our youth come who succeed in the battle of life? From the country where their advantages are supposed to be poor and their educational opportunities limited young men come to cities and crowd out of public employments and business pursuits our "educated" city young men, triumphing over superficial bookishness by a force, energy and methods acquired through conflict with difficulties which have drawn forth and developed their native powers. Thus from the public school system which still prevails in most of the country districts; but which the state superintendent sneers at as destitute of the "summary" we denounced in connection with the city schools, we get better results than from the modern improvements he lauds so highly. Fortunate are the country people who cannot carry their public schools so far as to allow them to become nurseries of idleness and destroyers of public and private industry. And fortunate is the whole country that their circumstances do not permit the delusions so prevalent in the cities on the subject of education and the supposed qualities of its modern methods, tendencies and results. The state superintendent, as a specialist, falls into errors common to those who devote themselves exclusively to one class of ideas. He forgets that there must be manual labor, productive industry and actual business; that there are other interests than those which revolve around the public schools, that if he could get the schools in all the districts of the state up to the boasted grade of the schools of Portland and have them taught throughout the whole year, the whole problems of life would not be solved thereby, but that on the contrary he would destroy productive industry and active energy in independent pursuits, and with them most of the possibilities of material and moral progress. It is nothing less than a most egregious folly for us to proceed with our system of education on the assumption that we are to fit or can fit all our youth for high station. We can only fit them for the humble employments of life, which nineteen out of twenty must pursue. Special success beyond this must be left to individual energy and talents. And there it will be left at last, in spite of all our mistaken efforts to equalize the circumstances and capacities of all. If by our system of public education we inculcate notions opposite to these primary truths, we are doing positive harm. Is it not undeniable, notwithstanding the comparison challenged by the state superintendent between results thirty years ago and now, that the present time is producing an enormously greater crop of charlatans, half educated at the public expense and brought up without other knowledge of labor than they have acquired from study of means how to avoid it, than we had then? If the city public schools were reduced to the grade of those in the country districts and taught only part of the year, and if, in addition to this improvement, parents in the cities would teach their children habits and methods of industry and self-reliance, putting them at trades or some useful employment as soon as they reach proper age, the gain to society would be immense, though the state superintendent might think his model schools spoiled and his own occupation shorn of its principal ornaments. We are urged to take no backward step in education. Proper enough. Let us take several forward steps till we reach once more the place where education signifies, as it used to signify proper preparation and discipline for the actual duties of life, instead of the mere process of overloading, with the impression that education, to be effectual, must all be derived from books, and must be as diffuse as possible.

PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES

From the *Standard* we learn that THE OREGONIAN is the only paper in the state which has come out for Blaine. That THE OREGONIAN has "come out for Blaine" is news both to itself and its readers. It has simply done nothing of the kind. There be those who are as unfortunate in "experting" with the truth as with the state printing. Within the United States there are something like a million or two of men who are fit to discharge the duties of the presidency. Should Mr. Blaine be nominated he would have the support of THE OREGONIAN not because he is Mr. Blaine, but because his nomination would represent national principles as opposed to confederate dogmas sound money as opposed to chimeras in finance and equal political rights as opposed to that partisan despotism in the southern states which suppresses by fraud and violence all opposition to the party dominant there. But there are others without number who would as well represent these principles as Mr. Blaine. Hence it is not necessary to look solely to Mr. Blaine and still less necessary [illegible] would not violate the traditions of the country which limit our presidents to two terms, but it would be accepted by the country as a [illegible] of election of the entire old gang of selfish and unscrupulous men whom Grant had around him and who while his administration was brought to the disgrace and his party to the very door of ruinous disaster. It is observable that all the democratic organs are eager for the nomination of Grant. Even the *Statesman*, that miracle of dullness and stupidity, is able to see how much weaker he would be than any other possible republican candidate. Hence it employs its atomic abilities in an effort to persuade itself that the republicans of Oregon are for Grant and should send and will send a Grant delegation to Chicago. It is the policy of the democratic organs all over the country to work for Grant's nomination and they are doing it to the extent of their whole power. If it were worth while to note the bungling way in which the feeble organ here is carrying out instructions on this subject we might quote from one of its editorials in which it says that "Grant appears to be stronger in New York and Pennsylvania than all other candidates combined and it is our opinion that he is really the choice of the republicans throughout the country" and from another editorial in the same issue in which it says that Grant's nomination is to be "forced against all the protestations and antagonism of the backers and followers of his most conspicuous rivals and in defiance and contempt of the masses of the party." When the eastern literary bureau gets again into operation, so that the organs may be furnished with editorials direct from headquarters it is likely that these slips will be avoided, or at any rate become less noticeable.

INTEREST AND TAXATION

Taxation of credits is demanded by many in our state, and is required by law under the supposition that when money is placed at interest the lender should be and can be forced to pay the tax upon it. But the *Evening Telegram* in a brief article explains how it works. "In Europe and in our eastern states there are large sums of money awaiting investment. Some of it has been attracted this way. It is loaned here in Portland on note and mortgage. The interest is ten per cent. But notes and mortgages are taxed in the hands of the lender. This reduces the net return to about seven per cent. Now it is absolutely certain that if it were known that credits would not be taxed in our state the interest would be reduced by the amount of the tax. Thus the borrower deludes himself with the idea that he is making the lender pay the tax, when it is himself who pays it every time. And our law is established on this gross delusion. Take United States bonds. A three and a half per cent. bond will sell at par and a four per cent bond at a premium. Why this low rate of interest? Because the lender knows he will not be taxed. But subject United States bonds to the burdens of State and local taxation, and what would be rate of interest? Not less than double what it is now. It is singular that people cannot see that a law which attempts to make the lender pay taxes only increases the burden of the borrower. Yet it is as plain as any self-evident truth can be and since it may be so clearly seen from the case of the United States bonds, that low interest is the result of exempting credits from taxation, nobody has excuse for being blind on the subject."

"What would you do with the schools of Portland?" This inquiry is often made. To answer it would require much time and space, and besides, it is not the business of THE OREGONIAN to answer it. This journal has fulfilled its object in stimulating inquiry on the subject. It will say however in general it would retrench in the high school and stop its encroachments on the primary departments. Further, it would simplify the primary departments by concentrating effort upon fundamental and indispensable branches. And if it could effect a change by suggestion, it would allow no children above the age of fifteen to attend the public schools more than six months in the year, and then only on condition that they had been engaged in some useful industry or employment for the other six months.

Balance of trade, which for three years or more has been heavily in favor of the United States, and which was believed by some to be permanently settled in that direction, begins to show signs of a change. The imports at New York in January were greater than ever known before, reaching the enormous amount of forty millions of dollars, and it is calculated that the balance of trade against the United States was not less than ten millions of dollars. In fact, with returning prosperity and a little ready money in their pockets, the American people begin again to send to Europe for all kinds of luxuries just as they did before. It will be the story of hard times again, in a year or two.

The annual school meeting will be held this evening at the court house. Since the business of the district has grown so large amounting now to $80,000 or more, it would seem to be proper to have full examination and discussion of its details. This cannot be had in a single evening and there should be no effort to rush it through. People who are interested, as most of our citizens are can well afford to give two or three evenings to proper examination of the subject as the occasion comes but once a year. We trust therefore, that the business will not be hurried through.

The New York *Tribune* calls attention to the fact that the politicians of Pennsylvania have a fashion of standing differently from the masses of the people "and that thus they never went to a national republican convention since the party was formed with a candidate who was not defeated. So it may be again for there can be no doubt that the parallel is complete in one sense—the masses of the republican party in Pennsylvania are certainly for Blaine unless their views are misrepresented by journals of all shades of political opinion."

The New York *Tribune* boldly maintains that only the four delegates at large chosen by the republicans of that state for the Chicago convention are bound by the instructions for Grant and it adds that the district delegates cannot be so instructed but will in every case represent the views of those who elected them.

Though the Kearney constitution of California has most stringent provisions against lobbying Denis it is said has been at Sacramento for weeks plying a trade which his constitution treats as a crime. But then the king is above the law.

DIED

In this city, Sunday Feb 29th at [illegible] A M, Charles Beck, third son of Dr and Mrs W K Smith aged 8 years and 6 months.

Funeral will take place at Trinity church on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family invited to attend.

At the Dalles Feb 28 Frederick Moore son of David Moore of the East Portland car shops aged 16 years.

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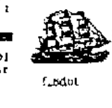

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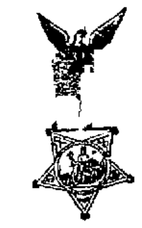

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Reserve for Unpaid Losses	218,761 51
Net Surplus	1,120,785 30
CASH ASSETS	$6,[illegible] 11

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Held in the United States available for the payment of Losses by Fire and for the protection of Policy Holders of FIRE INSURANCE

Cash in Banks	[illegible]
Bonds and Mortgages [illegible]	[illegible]
United States Stocks [illegible]	[illegible]
Bank Stocks market value	[illegible]
State and Municipal Bonds market value	[illegible]
Loans on Stocks payable on demand market value of collaterals $[illegible]	[illegible]
Interest due [illegible]	[illegible]
Balance in hands of Agents	[illegible]
Real Estate	[illegible]
Premiums due and [illegible] at office New York [illegible]	[illegible]
Total	$[illegible] 11

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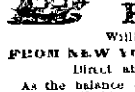

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Porterhouse Steak	25		
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Dish of Stewed Mushrooms	15	Flour Cakes	10
Mutton Chop plain or broiled	10	Corn Cakes	10
Veal Cutlet	10	Pudding of any kind	5
Pork Chops	10	One Plate Bread, Butter, Potatoes served with meats without extra charge	
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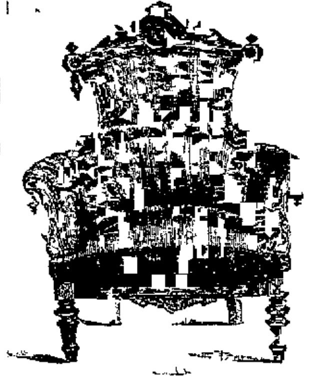

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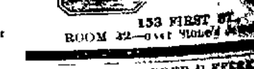

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MONDAY MORNING MA

THE OREGONIAN [illegible] is now [illegible] both to [illegible] its [illegible] We will [illegible] for [illegible] possession of [illegible] communication [illegible] The office will [illegible] until 12 A M

CITY.

IN [illegible] A few minutes [illegible] o'clock last night a fire was d[illegible] Chas. Young's barber shop in Bl[illegible] ing on Stark street between First [illegible] which was partially destroyed N[illegible] recently rebuilt. The departme[illegible] very promptly but their servic[illegible] called into requisition. The b[illegible] was burning briskly in and abou[illegible] the west side of the shop cont[illegible] etc was quickly extinguished [illegible] bucketsful of water. After the [illegible] posed to have been out another [illegible] was discovered between the plast[illegible] east side of the room. This was [illegible] extinguished. Upon moving two [illegible] set ees it was found that the wal[illegible] had been saturated with kerosene [illegible] insured in the Commercial fo[illegible] damage is inconsiderable.

LATER.—A quantity of powder [illegible] paper was found in one of the [illegible] below the cup case. The edges o[illegible] were burned within an inch of [illegible] substance. There is no insura[illegible] block

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT.—T[illegible] and testament of Mrs Mary Starr[illegible] admitted to probate. She beq[illegible] to her daughter Anna Fitzpatri[illegible] ficient sum to pay her travelin[illegible] the home of her aunt in Irelan[illegible] is requested to go. The $2 000 [illegible] to her in three years, she to hav[illegible] of the interest in the meantime, [illegible] be paid quarterly to her. The r[illegible] estate, real and personal she l[illegible] husband Alex Sterritt, after [illegible] her just debts and liabilities. [illegible] value of the estate is placed at [illegible] subject to mortgage to the amou[illegible] Mrs Mary A. Gilbert and J A[illegible] the witnesses to the will, and [illegible] Alex Sterritt, G H Durham and [illegible] the appointed executors.

HORSE KILLED.—Last evening [illegible] No 2 was coming down First st[illegible] passing between Yamhill and M[illegible] horse attached to the car slipp[illegible] At the time the car was movin[illegible] smart rate of speed. Before th[illegible] be checked by the driver, the ca[illegible] tially over the prostrate animal [illegible] such serious injuries that the [illegible] soon after died. The horse wa[illegible] able one, and the loss falls he[illegible] company. The unfortunate [illegible] wholly unavoidable, and no bl[illegible] attached to the driver.

CHINESE FUNERAL.—Wah Sho[illegible] Chinaman, was buried yesterd[illegible] with the usual honors. These [illegible] were spread on Second street, b[illegible] and Washington, and the [illegible] them attracted a large crowd [illegible] both white and Chinese. A [illegible] long line of carriages, the usual [illegible] paid mourners, [illegible] of a Chinese band, [illegible] tention of hundreds along the [illegible] march to the Stark street ferry.

SCHOOL MEETING.—The annual [illegible] ing of the tax-payers of this di[illegible] held this (Monday) evening a[illegible] court house. As set forth in [illegible] by the clerk, the object of the [illegible] the purpose of hearing a report o[illegible] of directors and clerk; also, for [illegible] of levying a tax for the support o[illegible] for the ensuing year, and for th[illegible] of any other business that may [illegible] the meeting

ENTERTAINMENT.—To-morrow [illegible] erary and musical entertainme[illegible] given at the Taylor Street M. E[illegible] very enjoyable programme is to [illegible] full particulars of which will be [illegible] other column. Admission 25 [illegible] freshments can be had at the clo[illegible] tertainment

SCANDINAVIAN SOCIAL.—A ver[illegible] affair occurred in New Armory [illegible] day evening, the occasion being a [illegible] plimentary party by the Scandin[illegible] ly. About two hundred couples [illegible] and passed an enjoyable evening [illegible] and social amusements.

RAILROAD TIES.—In another col[illegible] found an advertisement of Wm. [illegible] dent of the Oregon Railway Com[illegible] ed. All railroad contractors [illegible] called to the advertisement, [illegible] thousand railroad ties are wanted

CONGREGATIONAL SOCIABLE.—Th[illegible] the congregational church will gi[illegible] Tuesday evening in the church [illegible] interesting programme has bee[illegible] and no doubt an enjoyable enter[illegible] in store for those who attend.

CROSSED TO SEA.—The steams[illegible] *California* arrived at Astoria at no[illegible] urday, and crossed out to sea at 2[illegible] *Aberystwith Castle* and *Den G*[illegible] crossed to sea at the same hour S[illegible]

STEAMER ELDER.—A dispatch [illegible] last evening, states that the stea[illegible] *Elder* arrived there at noon an[illegible] Portland at 5 P M. She is expec[illegible] here about daylight.

AMUSEMENTS.

THAT "LASS O'LOWRIE'S"—Th[illegible] dramatization of Mrs Burnett's n[illegible] presented at New Market theater [illegible] with the same splendid cast whic[illegible] play two weeks ago.

NEW MARKET THEATER.—"Tw[illegible] was presented at the matinee S[illegible] packed house, and was thoroug[illegible] At night "The Street of New [illegible] given to a fair attendance in the [illegible] and a packed gallery.

BENEFIT.—To-morrow evening [illegible] Adams and Lillie Maud will bet[illegible] of a joint benefit at New Mar[illegible] On that occasion a splendid bill [illegible] sented. The play of "Hunted D[illegible] Two Lives of Mary Leigh," will [illegible] following which Little Maud wil[illegible] a comical farce entitled "Susie," [illegible] pressly for her. During the f[illegible] appear in a song and dance [illegible] Hill has himself volunteered, an[illegible] a little poem entitled "The Stran[illegible] This is a perfect poetical gem, [illegible] the pen of L. E. Mosher, of Sa[illegible] California.

PERSONAL.

Judge P P Prim of the sup[illegible] is at the Clarendon

Mr F T Hogan sheriff of Dou[illegible] spent Sunday in the city, and le[illegible] Sound to day

Mr C J Trenchard and wife [illegible] and Mr Thos H Tongue of Hil[illegible] the Clarendon

Deputy Grand Master W H [illegible] for The Dalles this morning for [illegible] of instituting a lodge of the Anci[illegible] United Workmen at that pla[illegible] then visit Goldendale and from [illegible] ceed to Pendleton La Grande [illegible] principal towns of Eastern Orego[illegible] ington territory. This order is [illegible] very rapidly and bids fair to b[illegible] most popular in the country

BUSINESS NOTICES

Sale at 11 o'clock to-day at th[illegible] county court house of valuable c[illegible] also of certain interests in the [illegible] claim

J L Hallett superintendent [illegible] tion of the O R & N Co advert[illegible] and teams to work on the railr[illegible] lages will be paid. See advertise[illegible] new to-day

Attention is [illegible] furniture to day by G[illegible] man [illegible] idence northeast corner of A [illegible] streets. A splendid lot of furni[illegible] sold and good bargains can be o[illegible]

Remember the second annu[illegible] sale of Olds & King. Their ent[illegible] be sold at cost so they announ[illegible] will find it to their advantage to [illegible] call—at No 14 Third street b[illegible] rison and Alder

Ferry & White will pay partic[illegible] to the collection of rents

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[illegible]URN,
[illegible] Box 836
Private Sale
[illegible] Stocks,
Buggies, Etc., Etc.

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[illegible] Pine Streets.

SALE DAYS,
AND SATURDAYS.
[illegible] REAL ESTATE,
Carriages
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NOTICES

[illegible] Mon[illegible]
[illegible] invited.

BOARDING.

[illegible] WITH
[illegible] residence
[illegible]

[illegible] FUNERAL HOUSE
[illegible] the best lead
[illegible] MAN TO
[illegible] permanent and the best
[illegible] Address H W H.

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[illegible] BLOCK, FORMERLY
[illegible] Inquire of William
[illegible] 1274 tued

[illegible] FURNISHED ROOMS
[illegible] Gentlemen In Central
[illegible] corner Second and Mor
[illegible] character allowed

[illegible] CORNER YAMHILL
[illegible] apply to D
[illegible] Fifth and Sixth

[illegible] OF 5 OR 7 YEARS STORE
Rent $[illegible] per month, or
[illegible] per month A proper-
[illegible] has been constructed in it a
[illegible] quire at the store of G [illegible]
[illegible] JOHN WILSON

[illegible] FRONT FRONT ROOM
[illegible] Address N B [illegible]

[illegible] FURNISHED ROOMS,
[illegible] ROOMS TO LET [illegible]
[illegible] and wife and single gent[illegible]
[illegible] cold and hot water
[illegible]

[illegible] STORE TO LET,
[illegible] SITE THE ST CHARLES
[illegible] hotel in process of con-
[illegible] Morrison and Front Sts., [illegible]
[illegible] & Co. 141 Front St.

[illegible] FURNISHED ROOM
[illegible] street, cor of Oak

LET,
[illegible] NO. 211 TWELFTH
[illegible] at the store at
[illegible] P M
JOHN WILSON.

SALE.

[illegible] SALE.
[illegible] FIXTURES IN A GOOD LO-
[illegible] selling, desiring to re-
[illegible]

[illegible] OPPORTUNITY.
[illegible] CONTAINING EIGHT
[illegible] and all the modern improve
[illegible] most fashionable part of the
[illegible] carpets furniture etc. for
[illegible] particulars address P. O.

[illegible] SALE.
[illegible] FIXTURES OF A LATE
[illegible] Goods Store, well es-
[illegible] paying business [illegible]
[illegible] selling Address box [illegible]

SALE.
KATIE LADD LYING
[illegible] foot of Oak street, with
[illegible] machinery, complete. For
[illegible] ferry-boat [illegible]
KNOTT BROS.

SALE.
[illegible] BUSINESS AND SOME
[illegible] For particulars, ap-
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SALE.
[illegible] OF GOOD FARM [illegible]
[illegible] from North Yamhill
[illegible] Terms reasonable.
[illegible] Portland Oregon

SALE.
[illegible] AND STOCK RANCH
[illegible] 8 miles from the
[illegible] house and barns, with
[illegible] and good horses at mar-
[illegible] 10 per cent. interest,
[illegible] Portland Or

SALE.
[illegible] 12 FURNISHED ROOMS
[illegible] rare chance to get into
[illegible] information apply at the
[illegible]

FOR SALE.
[illegible] BUILDING WILL FIND
[illegible] call at 131 Front street before
[illegible] any other place.

SALE.
[illegible] IN THE STEAMER
[illegible] to CLARK & UPTON

Farm Lands for Sale
for Thirty Days.
[illegible] WITH A VIEW OF BE-
[illegible] business connection with
[illegible] Three-Run Flour Mills and
[illegible] Mill at Turner Station in
[illegible] Railroad in Marion
[illegible] run of stone with Hare
[illegible] for six run, and is the
[illegible] mill in the State. The
[illegible] miles from Turner on the
[illegible] Road in a good loca-
[illegible] three run of stone and
[illegible] and the best frame of a mill
[illegible] 12 acres of land dwelling
[illegible] mills on Mill creek with
[illegible] the time The land is
[illegible] with dwelling house,
[illegible] acres under cultivation,
[illegible] part of it making it a
[illegible] as well as agriculture.
[illegible] parcel sold separate or
[illegible] are on the 17th day of
[illegible] public auction at 11 A. M.
[illegible] remember the
[illegible] if you want the best and
[illegible] And if said property
[illegible] day named, this notice
[illegible] particulars can be had by ad-
[illegible] Turner.

NOTICES.

[illegible] HERETOFORE EXISTING
[illegible] and M S Hart has been
[illegible] D ELLERSON

[illegible] NOTICE
[illegible] WHICH H S HERETO-
[illegible] E D White and J [illegible]
[illegible] name of White & Gilbert,
[illegible] by mutual consent
[illegible] late firm will be settled
[illegible] office of Ferry & White, 13
[illegible]

REMOVAL.
[illegible] THE 19TH DAY OF FEB-
[illegible] fixtures to the
[illegible] and Second Sts.
[illegible] fresh shing and Gen-
[illegible] to any other shop in the
[illegible] to meet my old cus-
[illegible] M DYER

NOTICE.
[illegible] DUE THE LATE
[illegible] blacksmiths [illegible]
[illegible] are made payable
[illegible] M DYER
[illegible] ROSMER.

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& GUTTMAN,
[illegible] Oregon
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[illegible] Market Prices.

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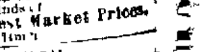
AND OPTICIAN



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Jewelry [illegible]

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The Daily Oregonian.

MONDAY MORNING, MA[illegible]

THE OREGONIAN office is [illegible] both telephone systems. We [illegible] if persons in possession [illegible] communicate them. [illegible] until 1:30 A. M.

CITY.

INCENDIARISM.—A few [illegible] o'clock last night a fire was [illegible] Thos. Young's barber shop [illegible] ing on Stark street between [illegible] which was partially destroyed [illegible] recently rebuilt. The department responded very promptly but their services were not called into requisition. The blaze was burning briskly in and about the case the west side of the shop containing [illegible] was quickly extinguished with a few bucketsful of water. After the fire was supposed to have been out another [illegible] was discovered between the plastering and the east side of the room. This was also [illegible] extinguished. Upon moving [illegible] it was found that the wall [illegible] had been saturated with kerosene. Young is insured in the Commercial for $[illegible]. The damage is inconsiderable.

LATER.—A quantity of powder lying on a paper was found in one of the little closets below the cup case. The edges of the paper were burned within an inch of the explosive substance. There is no insurance on the block.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT.—The last will and testament of Mrs. Mary Sterritt has been admitted to probate. She bequeaths $2,000 to her daughter, Anna Fitzpatrick and a sufficient sum to pay her traveling expenses to the home of her aunt in Ireland where she is requested to go. The $2,000 is to be paid to her in three years she to have the benefit of the interest in the meantime, which is to be paid quarterly to her. The residue of the estate, real and personal she leaves to her husband, Alex Sterritt, after the payment of her just debts and liabilities. The entire value of the estate is placed at $4,[illegible] and subject to mortgage to the amount of $[illegible]. Mary A. Gilbert and J. A. [illegible] are the witnesses to the will and [illegible] Alex. Sterritt, G. H. Durham and B. L. Stone the appointed executors.

HORSE KILLED.—Last evening while car No. 2 was coming down First street and was passing between Yamhill and Morrison the horse attached to the car slipped and fell. At the time the car was moving at a pretty good rate of speed. Before the speed could be checked by the driver, the car passed partially over the prostrate animal and inflicted such serious injuries that the poor creature soon after died. The horse was quite a valuable one, and the loss falls heavily on the company. The unfortunate accident was wholly unavoidable, and no blame can be attached to the driver.

CHINESE FUNERAL.—Wah Shoe, a wealthy Chinaman, was buried yesterday afternoon with the usual honors. Three lunch tables were placed on Second street, between Alder and Washington, and the services around them attracted a large crowd of spectators, [illegible] and Chinese. A brass band, a number of mourners, the usual number of [illegible] nothing of the music [illegible] to attract the attention of hundreds along the line of the [illegible] to the Stark street ferry.

SCHOOL MEETING.—The annual school meeting of the tax-payers of this district will be held this (Monday) evening, at 7:30 at the [illegible] room. As set forth in the call issued [illegible], the object of the meeting is for the purpose of hearing a report of the board of directors and clerk; also, for the purpose of levying a tax for the support of the schools the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business that may come before [illegible].

ENTERTAINMENT.—To-morrow evening a literary and musical entertainment will be given in the Taylor Street M. E. church. A very enjoyable programme is to be rendered, the particulars of which will be found in another column. Admission 25 cents. Refreshments can be had at the close of the entertainment.

SCANDINAVIAN SOCIAL.—A very pleasant [illegible] occurred in New Armory Hall Saturday evening, the occasion being a grand complimentary party by the Scandinavian society. About two hundred couples were present and passed an enjoyable evening in dancing and social amusements.

[illegible] TIES.—In another column will be found the advertisement of Wm. Reid, president of the Oregon Railway Company. [illegible] [illegible] railroad contractors' attention is called to the advertisement. Thirty-five thousand railroad ties are wanted.

CONGREGATIONAL SOCIABLE.—The ladies of the Congregational church will give a sociable this evening in the church vestry. An [illegible] programme has been prepared and no doubt an enjoyable entertainment is in store for those who attend.

GONE TO SEA.—The steamship *State of [illegible]* arrived at Astoria at noon last Saturday and crossed out to sea at 2 P. M. The [illegible] *Castle* and *Don Guillermo* also went to sea at the same hour Saturday.

[illegible] ELDER.—A dispatch from Astoria this morning states that the steamer *Geo. W. Elder* arrived there at noon and sailed for [illegible] at 5 P. M. She is expected to reach [illegible] about daylight.

AMUSEMENTS.

"LADY O'LOWARE'S."—The excellent dramatization of Mrs. Burnett's novel will be presented at New Market theater this evening with the same splendid cast which gave the [illegible] two weeks ago.

NEW MARKET THEATER.—"Two Orphans" was presented at the matinee Saturday to a [illegible] house, and was thoroughly enjoyed. [illegible] night "The Streets of New York" was given to a fair attendance in the dress circle and a packed gallery.

BENEFIT.—To-morrow evening Miss Annie [illegible] and Lillie Maud will be the recipients of [illegible] benefit at New Market theater. On this occasion a splendid bill will be presented. The play of "Hunted Down, or the Two Lives of Mary Leigh" will be produced, following which Little Maud will appear in a musical farce entitled "Susie" written expressly for her. During the farce she will appear in a song and dance. Mr. Harold [illegible] has himself volunteered and will recite a new poem entitled "The Stranded Bugle." This is a perfect poetical gem and is from the pen of L. E. Mosher of Santa Barbara, California.

PERSONAL.

Judge P. P. Prim, of the supreme bench, is at the Clarendon.

Mr. F. T. Hogan, sheriff of Douglas county, came Sunday in the city and leaves for the [illegible] to-day.

Mr. C. J. Trenchard and wife, of Astoria, and Mr. Thos. H. Tongue of Hillsboro, are at the Clarendon.

Deputy Grand Master W. H. Creigh [illegible] left for The Dalles this morning for the purpose of instituting a lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen at that place. He will then visit Goldendale and from there go [illegible] to Pendleton, La Grande and [illegible] the principal towns of Eastern Oregon and Washington territory. This order is increasing very rapidly, and bids fair to be one of the most popular in the country.

BUSINESS NOTICES

Sale at 10 o'clock to-day at the door of the county court house of valuable city property and of certain interests in the P[illegible] stone [illegible].

T. L. Hallett, superintendent of construction of the O. R. & N. Co. advertises for [illegible] and teams to work on the railroad. [illegible] wages will be paid. See advertisement under "new to-day."

Attention is called to the sale of [illegible] furniture to-day by Gorman & Co. at [illegible] house northeast corner of A and Seventh streets. A splendid lot of furniture will be sold and good bargains can be obtained.

Remember the second annual clearance sale of Olds & King. Their entire stock will be sold at cost—so they announce. Buyers will find it to their advantage to give them a call—at No. 147 Third street between Morrison and Alder.

Ferry & White will pay particular attention to the collection of rents.

BRIEF NOTES.

Ma[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] spring [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] west [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] wave [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] street [illegible] West Side.

These [illegible] will [illegible] first [illegible] warming [illegible]

[illegible] taxpayer [illegible] to the [illegible] evening.

Mr [illegible] passage on the [illegible] steam [illegible] San Francisco.

Extensive preparations will be made for the [illegible] observance [illegible] of March.

[illegible] will give a grand [illegible] ball at [illegible] ball on Tuesday evening.

An overcoat valued at $[illegible] was stolen from the vestibule of St. Stephen's chapel during services yesterday morning.

[illegible] Keck who is under indictment for manslaughter will be arraigned in the state circuit court for plea this morning.

Remember the adjourned meeting of the Oregon Bible society to-morrow evening. Hon. J. N. Dolph will deliver the address.

Out of respect to the memory of the late W. C. Bruen the office of vice-president of the Mutual Aid is left vacant for the unexpired term.

The [illegible] prints a [illegible] the origin of the word honeymoon together with an account of the interesting ceremonies peculiar to that period. It is timely as Mr. [illegible] was married last week.

RAILROAD COMPANIES INCORPORATED

Articles of Incorporation of the Salem and Silverton and Albany and Lebanon Railroad Companies.

Hon. J. N. Dolph, J. Brandt Jr. and Paul Schulze have filed in the offices of county clerk and secretary of state the following articles of incorporation:

First—The name of this incorporation shall be the Salem and Silverton Railroad company.

Second—The duration of this corporation shall be unlimited.

Third—The business of this corporation shall be first to construct and equip a railroad and telegraph line with all the necessary branches side tracks fixtures buildings depots stations and appurtenances from a point at or near the city of Salem and to intersect and connect with the Oregon and California railroad in the vicinity of Salem and thence by the most practicable route to the town of Silverton in Marion county and to maintain and operate such railroad and telegraph line and to carry freight and passengers thereon and to receive tolls for the same. Second to facilitate and assist the construction and equipment of the Oregon and California railroad or any other railroad in Oregon constructed or to be constructed to connect with the railroad of this corporation and for that purpose to subscribe for and purchase the stock or bonds of any such company to guarantee or secure the payment of any such bonds or the interest thereon by pledge or mortgage of the property of this company or any part thereof or otherwise and to lease or contract for the operation and maintenance of any and all such railroads. Third to purchase or acquire lands or lots whether adjacent or contiguous to its railroads or not and to hold possess improve lease sell, mortgage or otherwise dispose of such lands in such manner as may be deemed fit. Fourth to borrow money on bonds notes or otherwise for the general purposes of the corporation, and to mortgage its railroad or branches franchises, rolling stock and other property to secure the payment thereof.

The principal office of this corporation shall be located at Portland Oregon.

The capital stock is fixed at $200,000 divided into 2000 shares.

Articles of incorporation have also been filed by the same gentlemen for the Albany and Lebanon Railroad company.

The object of the corporation is to construct and maintain a railroad and telegraph line from Albany to Lebanon in Linn county in the same manner and under the same conditions as set forth in the above articles of incorporation.

The principal office will be located in Portland the duration of the same unlimited capital stock $200,000 divided into 2000 shares.

MRS KATHARINE ROYER HAMILTON

DIED in this city on the evening of the 28th instant at the residence of her son in law Mr. Lloyd Brooke Mrs. Katharine Royer Hamilton.

Mrs Hamilton was born on March 1, 1807 in Franklin county, Pa. and was married on July 30, 1830. In the year 1850 her husband was appointed secretary of the the territory of Oregon by Gen. Taylor and they then removed from Portsmouth Ohio here making the journey by the way of Cape Horn.

For more than a quarter of a century Mrs. Hamilton has lived in this city and few persons were better known or more esteemed. A devoted wife and mother yet she did not limit herself to those of her own household but her hand and heart were ever open to the needs and sorrows of the poor and unfortunate, whoever they might be. She was much given to hospitality and in the early days her house was the home of her friends and the welcome resting place of the travel stained missionary. Among the pioneer clergy of the Episcopal church in Oregon her memory will be warmly and gratefully cherished.

Thus after a long life freely spent for the good of others, our dear friend has gone to rest, in the confident hope of another and better life in the world to come. While here—

None knew her but to love her
None named her but to praise.

Mrs Hamilton will be buried from Trinity church to-morrow at half past 11 o'clock.

February 29 1880 D

OREGON HUMANE SOCIETY.

To morrow (Tuesday) evening the Oregon Humane Society will hold a meeting at the Y M C A rooms. The committee appointed to draft a constitution is expected to submit a report.

During the evening the following musical and literary programme will be rendered:

1. Instrumental music
2. Quartette
3. Prayer
4. Solo—Mrs. O. A. Bird
5. Address—Rev. T. L. Eliot.
6. Recitation—Miss Sonora Witherell
7. Music.
8. Address—W. T. Shanahan
9. Short addresses—Dr. Thompson, Revs. Stubbs and Chattin and Dr. O. B. Bird
10. Report of committee and election of officers
11. Music—Vocal

A special invitation is extended to the teachers in the public schools to be present upon this occasion. Admission free. Exercise will commence at 7:30 sharp.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS

Noah Lambert and wife to W. B. Honeyman Feb. 21 1880 lots 3 and 4 in block 115 city—$80.0

Joseph Helney to G. Linneman May 23 1879 10 acres in B Th[illegible] donation claim sections 1 and 10 T 1 S R. 3 E—$50

John Ruegg and wife to C. L. Ruegg Feb 6 1880 160 acres being J. F. [illegible] claim in section [illegible] T 1 N R [illegible] T 1 N R 1 W and section [illegible] T [illegible] N R 1 W—$1

RELEASES

C. W. Gray to Jno. Hopfield and wife mortgage dated Feb 18 1879 10 acres off south side of Pretty man donation claim $150

LEASE.

Wm. Connell to A. Birchard June 4 1878, grade story of building S. W. corner Taylor and First streets 2 years with privilege of two more years $110 per month

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Salem and Silverton R. R. Co.—unlimited duration. Business to build and operate railroad from Salem to Silverton Or. etc. Office Portland. Stock $200,000 each share $100. Incorporators J. N. Dolph, J. Brandt Jr. P. Schultze.

Albany and Lebanon R. R. Co. Duration [illegible] Object to construct and equip a railroad and telegraph line from at or near Albany to Lebanon [illegible] county O[illegible] Office Portland. Stock $200,000 [illegible] shares $100 each. Same incorporators as above.

SCHOOL REPORT

The following is the report for District No. [illegible] Holladay's addition for the month ending Feb[illegible] 1880.

Number belonging
Average [illegible] attendance
Average daily absence
Per centage of attendance
Cases of tardiness

It is a fact that Steinway pianos are in every respect [illegible] every [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] very best photographs [illegible] Frank Abell [illegible] First street Portland.

Fancy mixed 40 cents mixed candy [illegible] cents per pound at the Postoffice Store.

Happy woman is she who has taken her sewing machine to Barbey for repairs.

[illegible] removed to room [illegible] block over [illegible] book store.

Mrs. A. [illegible] has removed to [illegible] First street between [illegible] and Main.

OREGON BIBLE SOCIETY

Interesting Meetings Held Last Evening at the Methodist, Unitarian and Presbyterian Churches

The [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Warre [illegible]

[illegible]

UNITARIAN CHURCH

The meeting at the Unitarian church was largely attended in spite of the unfavorable state of the weather. The service used was what is known as the Vesper Service consisting of anthems, hymns and responsive exercises. The addresses in the interest of the Bible Society were by Mr. Caples and the pastor of the church. Mr. Caples manfully and feelingly [illegible] referred to the American Bible Society's work in many [illegible] He detailed the best elements of our [illegible] with the principles which the scriptures have given [illegible]. The stability of society, the even [illegible] education [illegible] the scriptures for their foundation. He alluded to the [illegible] of the [illegible] the scriptures every [illegible] of [illegible] whether for [illegible] They [illegible] like every enlightened [illegible] to [illegible] and [illegible] of the [illegible] mankind a common [illegible] and [illegible] place is found in the righteousness and truth of holy writ. Mr. [illegible] followed briefly bearing his personal testimony to what the Bible had been to his own life experience. He spoke of [illegible] of the scripture which are like mountains [illegible] the [illegible] of intellect and send down into the valleys of sin and ignorance their healing and inspiring influences. The anthems and other musical exercises of the evening were excellently rendered by the fine choir of the church.

TAYLOR STREET M. E. CHURCH

At this church the large audience room was well filled. The services being in the interest of the American Bible Society, Rev. I. C. Herzler the district superintendent of the society, Rev. J. A. Cruzan and the pastor Rev. J. H. Acton occupied seats on the platform. After the opening hymn by the choir Rev. J. H. Acton made the opening prayer and read a chapter from the Bible after which Mrs. J. A. Cruzan sang a solo in her usual acceptable manner.

Rev. J. A. Cruzan though suffering from the effects of a severe cold filled his appointment with a brief address eulogizing the triumphs of the Bible and Christianity over principalities and powers and over infidelity, asserting that the Bible was never so dear to the hearts of the people as to-day—never was Christianity making as great progress as to-day. He went on to suppose the Bible to be driven from the homes and hearts of men and pictured in strong terms some of the results which would follow its abolishment.

At the close of his remarks the large and superior choir led in singing a hymn, after which Rev. I. C. Herzler district superintendent of the American Bible Society presented the cause of the society affirming that the best and cheapest way to distribute the Bible was through some organization having that end in view and the American Bible Society was the best channel. Over 1200 persons had been found during the year who had no Bible, 300 of whom had been supplied by the auxiliary societies in Oregon and Washington. The American Bible society he stated had scattered during the last year over a million copies of the scriptures and he appealed to the people for their sympathy and co operation in the work of the society.

A collection for the society was then taken after which Mr. Herzler stated that 95 families were found in this city during the year who did not have a copy of the scriptures about 40 of whom were supplied and related a pleasing incident in connection with the canvassing of this city during the year after which the large audience were dismissed.

The alarm of fire at the beginning of the service caused some confusion quite a number leaving the room many of whom soon returned.

A LARGE TRANSACTION.

The Oregon Steamship Company Transfers $2,334,600 worth of Real and Personal Property to the Oregon Railway and Navigation Co.

THE "OREGON," "ELDER" AND "COLUMBIA" INCLUDED IN THE SALE

At a meeting of the stockholders and directors of the Oregon Steamship Company held in this city last week a resolution was passed authorizing the transfer of the entire property of the company to the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company. A deed to that effect was subsequently filed transferring the following described property. The consideration named in the conveyance is $2,334,600.

First. All and singular the following lots pieces or parcel of land situate lying and being in Multnomah county in the state of Oregon constituting the dock, warehouse land and appurtenances, formerly belonging to the company called the Portland Dock and Warehouse Company and more particularly bounded and described as follow to wit: All the blocks 110 and 111 in Couch's addition to the city of Portland excepting so much as is described as follows commencing at southwest corner thereof and running thence northerly along the east line of North Front street 75 feet thence easterly at right angles to east boundary line of North Front street 75 feet thence southerly and paralled with the east boundry line of North Front street to the intersection of said block number 21 thence to the place of beginning as shown designated and described upon the maps and plats of said city of Portland and excepting such interest of said blocks of land as may have been conveyed by the Portland Warehouse and Dock Company to the Oregon Central Railroad Company by deed dated December [illegible] 1875 and recorded on page 289 book 28 record of deeds of Multnomah county and excepting also therefrom the following parcel of land: Commencing at the point of intersection of south boundary line of the block in Couch's addition to the city of Portland known as the Distillery Block and the east boundary line of North Front street thence south 40 degrees 16 minutes east along the east boundary line of North Front street to the northwest corner of lands deeded by the Portland Warehouse and Dock Company to the Oregon Central Railway Company by deed dated December 24 1875 recorded on page 289 book 28 records of Multnomah county thence easterly along the north side of lands conveyed by said deed to river bank thence northwesterly along the river bank to the intersection of boundary line between block [illegible] and Distillery Block thence along said boundary line in a southwesterly direction to the place of beginning. Together with all and singular the improvements thereon situated and the appurtenances.

Secondly. All those two American steamships respectively known as the Geo. W. Elder and the "Oregon." Copies of the respective certificates of enrollment, of which are as follows (certificates set forth). Together with the masts sails boats anchors cables boilers engines, machinery furniture supplies and other appurtenances of said steamships and for the consideration aforesaid [illegible] party of the first part and Oregon Steamship company hereby assigns transfers and sets over to said Oregon Railway and Navigation company its successors and assigns a certain contract entered into the 2d day of July 1879 between John Roach & Son shipbuilders of the city of New York and said Oregon Steamship company by Henry Villard president for the construction for said [illegible] Steamship company by the said John Roach & Son of a new steamship and all the moneys paid and to be paid by said party of the first part of said contract and all the title and interest of the party of the first part herein [illegible] said steamship to be called "Columbia," in process of construction under said contract.

And also the office furniture safes fixtures machinery [illegible] appliances books [illegible] and [illegible] of the said party of [illegible] at Portland, Oregon and San Francisco [illegible] New York City, and all [illegible] policies of insurance upon said steamships and supplies on hand.

Have your rents collected by Ferry & White.

Those who are buying goods are requested to notice the new [illegible] stock [illegible]

Oysters—[illegible] by every steamer at Keith's corner First and Oak streets.

Splendid [illegible] for sale extra cat [illegible] J. B. Knapp [illegible] First street.

[illegible] the [illegible] Astoria [illegible]

[illegible] Milk [illegible] R. Milk Depot [illegible] street.

THE HUMORIST

[illegible]

J. VAN BEURDEN

[illegible] sold several [illegible] at [illegible] First street Formerly [illegible] book store.

No Deception Used

It is strange so many people will continue to suffer day after day with Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, [illegible] Shiloh's [illegible] Skidmore & Co. [illegible] street Portland, Oregon.

AN OFFICIAL OPINION

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] "mental" [illegible] cramming and flummery and [illegible] these machine [illegible] work have been made to take the place of education—true mental development then there is justice and sense in the criticisms touching these things which are being made from day to day in THE OREGONIAN and there is a corresponding [illegible] in this flood of adverse criticism if our own schools are guilty of these grave charges.

When you or others competent to judge having made a thorough examination will adduce reasonable evidence that these charges are well founded you will find no one more ready than myself to join you in the work of reformation. But when you have made your examination and instituted your comparisons as between the efficiency and success and system of our schools and methods of to day as compared with those of five or ten or fifteen years ago you will find that these charges have been without knowledge of the facts or without regard to them. The schools may be found deficient some of them woefully so but such deficiency is not on account of their adoption of the newer and better methods of instruction but for lack of them.

During the last year while in the discharge of my official duties I have visited and witnessed daily exercises in not less than 200 different schools scattered over the entire state from Jackson and Lake counties on the south to Clatsop on the northwest and Union and Baker on the east. Within that scope I think I can safely say I have seen schools in all conceivable stages of development and conducted by nearly all conceivable methods—from the good old methods of the years long ago *down* as some claim the *descending* stages till we arrive at the flummery cramming and system of the Portland schools but as I would say and as every intelligent man *must* say who has witnessed what I have in these schools *up* the ascending stages till we come to the excellent free public schools of Portland which stand at the head and are justly the pride not only of your own city but of the entire state. Yet there are very many excellently conducted schools besides those of Portland some of them but little if any behind the Portland schools most notable of which probably is the public school of Eugene City where wonderful improvement has been made within the last few years. I am sorry that I am compelled to admit there are far too many schools poorly conducted and very deficient in methods of instruction and entirely destitute of [illegible] mainly but these as a general thing are in the rural districts where population is sparse and their means so limited that they are unable to offer sufficient salary to command the services of competent teachers, teachers if you please who have not only the natural endowments for their work but professional training as well. I do not claim that any of the schools are as efficient and productive of good results as they may be made. There is doubtless room for improvement in the best of them. But that improvement will not be found on the backward track. Let us have improvement then, and not retrogression; move forward and not backward.

Let us adopt the new and better methods of the leaders in education of the present day rather than fall back upon the slipshod routine parrot like, memorizing methods of our grandfathers when wooden moldboards and reaping hooks were implements of husbandry. For I maintain that the methods of instruction and general system education and results attained in the better class of our schools of the present day are as a general thing as much superior to those of the schools of a generation ago as the implements of husbandry of the present are superior to those of our fathers.

I have been more or less conversant with the schools and school methods in this state for the last thirty years. I was here long before most of them had an existence and so were you. We have witnessed their slow but steady growth from their infancy to their present vigorous young manhood. I speak from personal knowledge both as respects the past and present when I say there never has been a day in the history of the public schools of this state when they were doing better work more efficient more successful work than they are doing to-day and with due respect for you as an intelligent scholarly and widely influential man I challenge you for the proof to the contrary.

As to the public schools of Portland who that is conversant with their history will say they are not doing better and more work to day than ever before.

As a striking evidence of the efficiency and superiority of the schools of to-day as compared with those of the past we find what I think no one will deny far more general intelligence and practical knowledge among the children and youth of the present than among those of a generation ago at least such has been my experience.

L. J. POWELL

C. B. Dupee Hams are the finest.

For lame Back [illegible] or Chest use SHILOH'S POROUS PLASTER. Price 25 cts. Sold by S. G. Skidmore & Co. [illegible] street Portland Oregon.

A GOOD THING

German Syrup is the special prescription of Dr. A. Boschee a celebrated German Physician and is acknowledged to be [illegible] fortunate discovery [illegible] It is not an experimental medicine but has stood the test of years [illegible] every case which its rapidly increasing sale every season confirms. [illegible] Beware of [illegible] Syrup [illegible]

T. L. FRANCIS

[illegible] PLUMBING, GAS FITTING AND ORNAMENTAL [illegible] Monuments [illegible] First [illegible] street.

A RARE CHANCE

[illegible] For further particulars address M. ORB [illegible] this office.

The White is the popular [illegible] Sewing Machine. Agency [illegible] First [illegible]

FINNEY'S HAVANA CIGAR STORE

Has the largest and [illegible] stock of cigars in the city comprising New York Key West and Imported Havanas. Call and be convinced that you can get a better [illegible] for less price than at any other store in the city. No. [illegible] First st. near Alder. Sole Agent for the celebrated Kerbs and Spiess New York Cigars.

MONTHLY WEATHER REPORT

[illegible]

HERMAN
[illegible] Corp [illegible] U S A

February [illegible]

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT

Signal service United States army, Division of telegrams and reports for the benefit of commerce and agriculture. Report for the last 24 hours.

FOR LAND Feb 29, 5:57 P. M.

Place of Observat	Height of Bar[illegible]	Change last 8 Hours	Ther	Wind Direc[illegible]	Rain fall inches	State of weath.
Portland	29 94	—.[illegible]	46	S		Lt[illegible]
Olympia	[illegible]9 81	.01	42	S	0	Cloudy
Roseburg	[illegible] 08	—.1	49	S	0	Cloudy
Red Bluff	30 13	—.0[illegible]	54	SE	0	Clear
Sacramento	30 12	—.[illegible]	5[illegible]	SE	0	Clear

C. B. Dupee Hams have least waste.

All kinds sewing machine needles to arrive at Barbey's 32 Yamhill street.

The leading music house north of San Francisco—D. W. Prentice & Co. Portland.

A White Sewing Machine is the article for your wife or daughter. S. M. Barr agent.

Opera and French Caramels Lemon Cocoanut Molasses Cocoanut Peanut Taffies at Postoffice Store.

If you want a hack, carriage or horse just telephone Corbett's stable corner of Second and Taylor streets and your order will be promptly filled.

Ready Made Wrappers $1.50 and stylish dresses at reasonable prices at the European Dress Making establishment 1[illegible]1 Third St.

MORROW'S SHOES

Immense sale of Morrow's Shoes. Ladies ask in your shoe store for Morrow's Shoes. They are the best fitting and of the latest style.

EUGENE D. WHITE,

Commissioner of deeds notary public and general conveyancer. 130 First st. Portland Oregon.

NOTICE.—Just received at Franklin Bros. & Co. 125 First street 50 dozen Nos. [illegible] and 6 kid gloves for 50c a pair. Every pair warranted. If tried on before [illegible] and they rip we will give another pair free of charge. Call and see them.

Young man now that you have taken unto yourself a wife don't forget that you need furniture and that is the article Edwards & Birmingham pride themselves upon selling at the most reasonable figure.

I Wish Everybody to Know.

Rev. George H. Thayer an old citizen of this vicinity known to every one as a most influential citizen and Christian Minister of the M. E. Church just this moment stopped in our store to say "I wish everybody to know that I consider that both myself and wife owe our lives to Shiloh's Consumption Cure. It is having a tremendous sale over our counters and is giving perfect satisfaction in all cases of Lung Diseases such as nothing else has done. DRS. MATCHETT & FRANCE.

Bourbon Ind. May 15 [illegible]8.

Sold by S. G. Skidmore & Co., Druggists.

Cheering News for Oregon

Our people have been cut off from communication with the outer world so long that anything which tends to hasten the time when they can come and go without that awful ocean voyage is hailed with the deepest satisfaction but better than an eastern railroad connection is the discovery of the OREGON KIDNEY TEA. If you have the back ache or any trouble with the kidneys or bladder no matter what the cause it will cure every time and no humbug. Ask your druggist for it.

Peruvian Syrup.—This valuable medicine has been silently making its way into public favor by the numerous remarkable cures it has performed. Its singular efficacy is owing to the *protoxide of iron* which in this preparation remains unchanged and is the only form in which this *vital element* of healthy blood can be supplied.

SUICIDE.

A distinguished Scientist once said "No man with a strong healthy stomach ever committed suicide yet many suffer the torments of the damned with dyspepsia when a single bottle of DR. MINTIE'S ENGLISH DANDELION LIVER AND DYSPEPSIA PILLS will give relief, and if persisted in cure the worse case of this distressing trouble. This pill cures torpid liver, biliousness sallow complexion, foul breath sick headache heartburn pain in side and back, removes pimples from the face regulates the bowels is sugar-coated and guaranteed purely vegetable. It acts directly on the coating of the stomach and on the liver is suited to any climate wet or dry weather. Beware of imitations genuine has [illegible] of [illegible] on [illegible] wrapper. Price 50 cents. Sold by all druggists. Hodge Davis & Co. Portland [illegible].

How to Save Money

Instead of going to a doctor if you have Bright's Disease Diabetes pain in back and its smarting inflammation called brick dust deposit or any trouble of the kidneys or bladder, buy a bottle of DR. MINTIE'S NEPHRETICUM the great *[illegible]*. It is the best prescription ever compounded for these troubles. Abrams & Carroll Wholesale Druggists say "We [illegible] *Nephreticum as the best* [illegible] *[illegible] in the market.*" Wo[illegible] druggist Portland Oregon says "I [illegible] speaks highly [illegible] lots of [illegible] always [illegible] Many have [illegible] kidney complaints after [illegible] up. Sold by all [illegible] $1.00 [illegible] or six bottles for $5. Hodge Davis & Co. Portland Wholesale Agents.

Sir Astley Cooper's Vital Restorative

The great English remedy—has made more cures of Nervous Debility Seminal Weakness Lost Manhood nocturnal emissions [illegible] and such diseases as are induced by [illegible] follies and excesses than all other [illegible]

[illegible]

HENRICHSEN & GREENBERG,

JEWELERS,

110 FIRST STREET,

PORTLAND [illegible] OREGON

MATZOTH! MATZOTH!

The Oregon Bakery

[illegible]
[illegible] WERTHE[illegible]
[illegible] CHOELBIN

W[illegible] LEAD

Use ATLANTIC brand, [illegible] standard Lead. S[illegible] late for it in all your contracts. Do not permit any other to be employed. C. T. RAYNOLDS & CO.,

Sole Agents, 9 Front St.,
San Francisco

N[illegible]

Owing to the greatly increased cost of material, the price of ATLANTIC PURE WHITE LEAD has been advanced.

C. T. RAYNOLDS & CO.
Sole Agents, 9 Front st.
San Francisco

CA[illegible]

The price of ATLANTIC PURE WHITE LEAD having been advanced, property owners are cautioned against the substitution by painters of cheap low grade Leads which, owing to inferiority in quality, can be bought for considerably less than the present cost of raw material.

C. T. RAYNOLDS & CO.,
Sole Agents, 9 Front St.
San Francisco

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Whereas the substitution of cheap, inferior Leads, where "ATLANTIC" has been specified, is not only a fraud upon the property owner, but a damage to the reputation of the ATLANTIC brand, we hereby offer a reward of $50 for sufficient evidence of such substitution being made.

C. T. RAYNOLDS & CO.,
Sole Agents, 9 Front St.,
San Francisco.

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DRY GOODS CLOTHING.

GREAT SLAUGHTER

OF

DRY GOODS,

BOOTS and SHOES

AND

CARPETS,

AT

Franklin, Bros. & Co's,

To make room for our Spring stock

Note the following Extraordinary Low Prices

SILKS AND SATINS

Black Gros Grain Silk	75c—worth $1 00
Gros Dress Silk	$1 25—worth $1 75
Extra Heavy from	1 75 to [illegible]
Good Black Satin per yard	[illegible]
Extra quality from	$1 [illegible] to [illegible] 50

BOOTS AND SHOES

To this department we would call especial attention. Notwithstanding the recent advance in the prices of Shoe Leather, we are determined to close out our stock of Boots and Shoes at the [illegible] figures. Note the prices and judge for yourselves.

Infants Philadelphia made Shoes per pair	$[illegible]
Children's Heavy School Shoes per pair	[illegible]
Children's Buff extra quality, per pair	1 00
Children's Button Shoes French Kid	1 00
Children's Half Cloth and Leather Buttoned	75
Misses Shoes in great variety from	50 to 2 50
Ladies American Kid from	$1 5[illegible] upwards
Ladies Pebble Goat Button Shoes	[illegible]5
Ladies Slippers	[illegible]
Ladies Button Shoes Kid Foxed	$1 25
Ladies Heavy Calf Shoes	1 [illegible]
Boys Boots from	$1 25 upwards
Men's Boots from	1 [illegible] upwards
Men's Heavy Buckle Shoes A extra	$1 25
Men's Heavy extra quality	1 [illegible]
Men's Side Elastic Gaiters	1 90

These Boots and Shoes are actually worth double the money we ask for them.

CARPETS

Wilhelm Carpets 2 ply for 25c per yard

A very good article warranted for 50c per yard. This 60c Carpet is actually a Bargain having been bought from a wrecked schooner for a mere nothing.

DOMESTICS, DRESS GOODS FANCY GOODS
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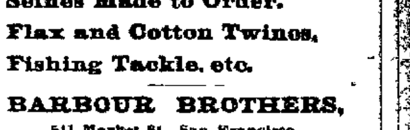

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MONDAY MORNING, MARCH 1, 1880.

THE MARKED ARM.

Click! In the dead of night a sharp sound awakened Mrs. Halifont. The room was dark. Not even a gleam of moon or starlight fell through the curtains of the windows. It was a very strange sound indeed, but she saw nothing, heard nothing more.

She sat up, leaning on her dimpled left elbow, and put out her right hand and touched her husband's shoulder. He lay upon his pillow sound asleep, and did not awaken at her touch.

'It must have been a dream,' said Mrs. Halifont; and her young head—she was only the bride of a year—nestled down again closer to her husband's arm and she slept again.

Click!

This time the sound did not arouse Mrs. Halifont. It was her husband who awakened. He did not pause to listen but grasped the revolver beneath his pillow and jumped out of bed at once. In an alcove in the next room stood a safe which contained money and valuables. It was not one of the wonderful new safes that defy fire and burglars, but an old one that had been in the family a long time. Mr. Halifont knew on the instant that some one was opening this safe.

A man of courage, a man who never hesitated in the face of danger—one, too, who had a warm regard for worldly possession—Mr. Halifont strode at once into the room where he knew the housebreakers were at work, and, running in the dark against a powerful man, tackled him at once.

The light of a lantern flashed across the room. There were two more men. Three against two.

The sound of blows, struggling, and the report of a pistol aroused the young wife once more. Amidst her terror she had the good sense to light the gas. It shone upon a spectacle of horror. Her husband weltering in his blood, wrestling with a gigantic man whose features were concealed by a mask of black crape, a man, the upper part of whose body was clothed only in a knitted woolen shirt, of some dark color, with sleeves that left his great arms bare. On the right one, the one which clutched Mr. Halifont's throat, was a read mark or brand, or scar, or birthmark. It would have been impossible for Mrs. Halifont, even in a calmer moment, to tell what it was, but it indelibly impressed itself upon her mind, as she bravely cast herself into the struggle, and fought with all her might to drag the horrible hand from her husband's throat, screaming all the while for aid.

A blow, a kick would have silenced her. The burglar must have known that, but there are very bad men who could not use violence toward a women to save their own lives. This man could not. His companions had fled with the booty; help might arrive at any moment. With a great effort he wrenched himself from the clutch of his victim, and let go his throat and sped away. It was not too soon. Assistance arrived now that it was too late, but Mr. Halifont did not live to tell the story. He was mortally wounded. His young wife watched by his bedside until he breathed his last, then dropped senseless beside it.

For weeks she raved in wild delirium of the murderous hand, of the great muscular arm with the scar upon it, and called upon them all to save her husband's life; but she was young and had a fine constitution. After a while her health returned, and, at last, her mind regained its equipoise.

She removed from the city and took up her abode in a lonely country place, with a favorite sister for a companion. She had resolved as a widows who loved their husbands do at first to remain a widow forever. And indeed though many men would gladly have wooed one so young, beautiful and wealthy to change her mind on this point, she seemed to care less for any one of them than for the kitten which purred upon her knee, or the black-and-tan terrier which ran by her side along the garden paths. She was 18 when her husband was murdered; at 22 she was still true to his memory.

Is any one forever utterly true to another's memory out of romance—any one who does not die young? I fear not. In this lapsing summer of woman's life, when she pretended to believe that autumn had actually come, temptation to inconstancy assailed her. For many years a fine house upon the neighboring estate had been empty, but now there came to take possession of it a gentleman not over 30. A widower with plenty of money, and no children; a handsome man, well built and stalwart, with magnificent black hair, and eyes that were like black diamonds. Spanish eyes! indeed, he called himself a Spaniard, and his speech betrayed a foreign accent.

The dark eyes and blue ones met, a few neighborly words exchanged, a call followed and Mrs. Halifont felt a new emotion creeping into her heart. She felt pleased and flattered by this stranger's admiration. Then she knew that she was loved, and rejoiced, and so discovered that she herself loved again.

At first she was angry with herself; then she wept over her inconstancy, but at last she yielded utterly. After all, it was love that made her untrue. Since she had loved, she could never pride herself on being faithful again, and so listened to the sweet words that, despite herself, made her happy, and promised to marry Col. Humphries.

When a widow does marry a second time she generally contrives to make a fool of herself.

Mrs. Halifont had certainly not done as foolishly as some widows do. She had neither chosen a little boy, nor a titled Italian without money enough to keep himself in macaroni. Her future husband was older than herself, and too rich to be suspected of any intention of being a fortune hunter; but, after all, no one knew him. He came into the neighborhood without letters of introduction to any one and whether he won his fortune by trade or came to it by inheritance, remained a mystery.

There were those who shrugged their shoulders, and declared that Mrs. Halifont would regret not having chosen some one of whom more was known—some retired merchant, some gentleman of fortune, whose father had been known to her friends. Nothing, to be sure could be said about the Spaniard or Cuban with the English name; but who knew anything in his favor?

However no one said this to Mrs. Halifont, or if any one had, words never changed a woman's fancy yet. Mrs. Halifont believed in Col. Humphries, and meant to marry him.

Indeed the trousseau was prepared, the wedding day fixed, all was ready, and Ida Halifont believed herself to be a very happy woman. She once more built castles in the air. Her old sorrow seemed to fade away in the distance. She was a girl again.

At last only twenty-four hours lay between her and her wedding day.

She was busy in her sewing room on this last day, finishing some ruffles in lace and ribbon, singing softly to herself, when suddenly the house was filled with cries.

An old man-servant, while cutting the grass upon the lawn, had wounded himself seriously. The doctor was sent for at once, but was not home, and meanwhile poor Zebedee was bleeding to death.

Suddenly Ida Halifont remembered that Mr. Humphries had said that he understood wounds, as though he had been bred a surgeon. Without this, it would have been natural for her to call on one who was so soon to be her protector, in a moment of anxiety. She would call him herself that there might be no delay; and seizing her garden hat she ran along a little path that led from her ground to that of Mr. Humphries, climbed a low fence, to save time which would have been lost in reaching a gate, and so gained the rear of the dwelling, of which to-morrow she will be mistress.

She thought herself terrified and distressed. She felt rather injured in that such an unpleasant thing as the wounding of poor old Zebedee should have happened on the eve of her wedding day. Ten minutes before she thought herself at that moment as utterly at ease—wondrously happy—for, as she reached those windows and peered half timidly through the curtains, a thing happened that made all she had ever suffered appear as nothing.

The room, the windows of which she had approached, was one that opened out of a conservatory. She saw Col. Humphries busy with some rare plants he had just set out to the sunshine that fell through the glass. He had taken off his coat and rolled up his sleeves. Now he left the conservatory, and coming forward proceeded to wash his hands in a basin of water that had been set ready for him. He was close to Ida Halifont. He did not see her, but she could have reached out her hand and touched him. Why did she not speak and call him by name? Why did she sink down upon her hands and tremble like an aspen leaf? Alas! the awful reason was this: Upon that arm to which she was about to give the right to clasp her in tenderest embrace she saw a terrible mark—a mark she had seen once before. She knew its shape size and color. Her eyes had been riveted upon it as the sinewy hand, at the wrist of which it ended, grasped her dying husband's throat. She had learned it off by heart; she could not be deceived. Though years had rolled away, that horrible marked arm was not to be forgotten or mistaken for any other.

Suddenly Col. Humphries felt himself grasped by a hand that, small as it was, had the fierce touch of a tiger's claw. The fingers closed over that red mark—a white face come close to his.

"You are my husband's murderer!" hissed a voice in his ear.

Then the two stood staring at each other. He made no denial. He only looked down to the red mark upon his arm and cursed it aloud.

"How dare you make love to me?" she gasped. "You—"

"Because I loved you," he said. "Woman, if I had not fallen into love with you that night, I would have killed you also. It was risking my life to spare you, with your screams calling help to hunt me down—"

"Oh, if you had but killed me then!" she moaned.

"Well, I am at your mercy now," he said.

She answered:

"You can kill! I wish you would. I pray do it. You killed my husband. The murderer of my husband must be brought to justice, and I—yesterday, nay, an hour ago—I loved you! Oh, God, pity me! I have loved this man, this thief, who came in the night to rob my husband, and who murdered him."

She remembered saying this. Afterward a strange drowsiness overcame her. She seemed to let go her hold on the world. She faintly recognized the fact that Col. Humphries knelt at her feet and kissed her hands. Then there were blank hours, and strange, wild dreams, and she awakened in the twilight and found herself bound fast to a great arm chair, long cords about her arms, tying her hands and confining her feet.

So her servants found her; but she was the only living being in the great house. Col. Humphries and his two black servants had vanished, no one knew whither.

The empty chloroform bottle on the floor—the fact that he left little behind him, and that he always kept his money in a form that left him free to leave the country at any time, all proved that detection was prepared for. And he was never tracked—or had the means to bribe those who were set on his track.

Ida Halifont lived through it all. She lives to-day in the quiet house beside the river, but no one has ever seen her smile since that hour. No one will ever see her smile again. And from her slumbers she starts in terror, fancying that she sees uplifted menacingly, above, that cruel, terrible arm, marked with the blood-red stain. There is no hope of happiness for her, for she never can forget that this arm has embraced her.

VARIOUS QUESTIONS.

How a Professional Office Holder is Likely to Exceed the Bounds of Propriety in Trying to "Keep In."

WALLA WALLA W. T. Feb. 16, 1880.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

Last fall Gov. Ferry stated to the members of the legislature that if they appointed him Code Commissioner and he was reappointed to his present position, he would make no charge for revising the laws. Next in order a petition was presented then for signature, by which they were made to request the president to appoint him for a 3d term. This proceeding was not generally known to the people. Now his excellency is causing petitions to be circulated in every county in the Territory, to be signed by the people, and requesting the President to reappoint him. The canvass is intended to be thorough and allow none to escape who can be induced to sign.

On the above state of facts, I wish to propound a few questions and possibly you may be kind enough to answer through the columns of THE OREGONIAN. (We print the questions but do not undertake to answer them. ED.)

1. Was ever the territorial governorship known to be sought for in this manner before?

2. If it is proper for a territorial governor to apply to members of the legislature for their influence toward retaining him in office, how far may he go in the way of making his application to them effective?

3. Would it add anything to the dignity or purity of the administration, if a governor would say to one member, "I will use my influence to have your bill pass, and I will sign it, if you and your friends will petition the president for my reappointment?" To another he could say on the same condition: "I will appoint you or your friend to some office" and to another he might say, "yes, I will pardon the man you want out of the penitentiary, and, by the way here is a petition for my reappointment, I wish you would sign it," and so on, on the principle of "quid pro quo"—indefinitely. These are supposed cases, but they might easily occur.

4. Is it proper for a governor, in seeking a reappointment to send out petitions for the people to sign? and if it is, how are his rivals for the appointment to proceed? Shall they all appeal to the people by petition, and will the president be influenced in making the appointment in favor of the one having the greatest number of petitions?

5. Suppose a governor should send or cause to be sent petitions all over the territory requesting the people to sign, asking for his reappointment, and in fact not more than one man in every ten are in favor of his reappointment, how are the nine dissentients to protect themselves against the influence of the one man who signs? Is it natural or practicable to expect that they must organize and circulate remonstrances or be bound by what every tenth man may be induced to do?

6. Would the adoption of such a pratice tend to elicit the will of the people?

7. Would the principle be a safe one in support of a republican form of government?

8. Should petitions take the place of the delegate as representing the will of the people?

In conclusion, we say that we deem it entirely safe to estimate those who are opposed to the governor's reappointment to a third term at least three-fourths of the voting population of the territory. REPUBLICAN.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

SATURDAY EVENING, Feb. 28.

SAN FRANCISCO Feb. 28.—Silver, 99½ buying; par selling.

Sterling exchange on London, bankers' 60 days, entirely nominal.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Silver bullion, 1000 fine, per ounce closed weak at 13¼.

Sterling exchange, prime bankers' long, $4 85 short, $4 88 good commercial from 1 to ½c lower; documentary 2 to 1½c lower.

U. S. Bonds—6s of '81, 103½; 4½s, 108¾; 4s 106½.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—Consols, 97 13-16 money.

Silver, English standard, per fine ounce, 925 fine, opened 52.

U. S. Bonds—5s, '81, 105¾; 4½s, 110¾; 4s, 109⅝.

Money and Stocks.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Coin, ¼ discount; money, 5@6; governments strong, ⅛@¼ higher; W. U., 114½; Erie, 45¼.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—Consols, 97 13 16; fours, 109½; Erie, 47¼.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISION MARKET.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—The grain market during the past week has been fluctuating but slightly, with a well defined feeling of weakness in spite of a drop in east-bound freight rates and firmer prices in Liverpool. The feeling to day was very weak until just at the close when there was a stiffening up all around. Provisions too showed but very little strength.

Wheat—Sold for April, $1 24¾.
Corn—36½@35⅞.
Oats—31¼@31½.
Pork—$11 70@11 77½.
Lard—$7 17½@7 40.

Closing April prices were: wheat, $1 25, corn, 36¼, oats, 31½, pork, $11 85, lard, 7¼. Closing cash prices were: wheat, $1 23¼@1 23½; corn 36½; oats, 31½@ 1¾; rye, 75c; barley, 78c; pork, $11 62½@11 65; lard, 7 1-16@7½.

Whiskey—Moderately active and firm at $1 07.

Receipts for the week—Wheat, 173,000 bushels; corn, 1 089,000 bushels; oats, 158 000 bushels.

Shipments—Wheat, 86,000 bushels; corn, 747 000 bushels; oats, 134,000 bushels.

Receipts same time last year—Wheat, 304,000 bushels; corn, 509,000 bushels, oats, 143,000 bushels.

The movement has not been free, and it is not believed that the very moderate lowering of rates to the seaboard by truck line managers will have any appreciable effect in stimulating shipments.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—There has been a fair movement in most of the principal articles of merchandise during the current week, and although there have been few radical changes, yet markets have generally ruled firm, and in some cases prices have tended in favor of sellers by the advance in a few commodities. Others have depreciated, but on the whole the situation is healthy and there is every indication of a good spring trade.

Breadstuffs—Remain dull and lower.

Wheat—Again quiet.

Barley—Nominally unchanged. A cargo of Cal ex Colusa still in store.

Provisions—Quiet and easier.

Rio Coffee—A quarter lower and dull, a Rio telegram being unfavorable.

Refined sugars—Continue in good demand, closing firm. Crushed and powdered, 9¾; granulated, 9⅝, cut loaf, 9¾; coffee A standard, 9¼@9½, white extra C, 8⅞@8½; extra C, 8⅝@8¾; C, 7¾@8, yellow, 7¼@7¾.

Tea—Moderate, in uncertain demand, but firmly held.

Petroleum—Steady and quiet.

Turpentine—Moderate demand steady.

Crude sperm and whale oil, firm for former, steadier for latter. Market, however, quiet. Linseed oil irregular at 80@85c; lard oil firm and in fair demand at 62@64c.

Paints good, steady demand and firm.

Borax, good demand and firm at 10⅛@10½c in barrels, 11@11½c in cases.

Quicksilver very firm and higher, closing at 47½@48.

Opium quiet, $4 in bond.

Hides in better demand than for some time, prices steadier. Sales 1500 California at 21½c at 30 days.

Leather is in fair demand. Prices firm at 25@26 for California.

Hops in better demand from brewers. Prices unchanged.

Hardware in scarcely so active demand. Prices remain generally steady and few changes of moment have taken place. Nails firmly held on the basis of $5 40 per keg.

Pig Iron—Firmly held at $40 per ton for No. 1, but the market is very dull for both American and Scotch manufactured.

Iron—Fair demand at full rates; common merchant bar from store quoted $3 74.

Pig Lead—Dull and steady at $5 45 for common.

Tin Plate—Quiet and easier.

Wool—Active, but the great bulk of sales is foreign, as the stock of domestic is small and under the control of holders who will carry it and await developments. Advices from abroad continue very strong and values tending upward. Cables from London say that buyers are eager for Australian at ½d higher. Sales of Cal in this market, 15,000 lbs, and 250 bales fall at 24½@30, 20 bales spring at 33c.

Dry Goods—Scarcely so active for cotton goods. Prints and most other fabrics adapted to spring and summer wear continue in good demand. The tone of the market is very firm, and all kinds of goods are stiffly held.

Eastern Freights.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

NEW YORK Feb. 28.—There is no improvement to quote in the freight market via Cape Horn, which remains very quiet. A feeling of distrust as to spring trade in California grows daily and there is no disposition to make contracts for delivery, although the latest dispatches are more quieting and no fears are entertained but that the authorities will be able to cope with any body of rioters. Still shippers and others interested in the trade are desirous of knowing that the whole matter is settled. The *St. Nicholas* is loading to-night. Rates of freight per clipper are irregular and the competition of three lines leads to some cutting. Isthmus freights also more quiet owing to the unsettled feeling among shippers. The Pacific mail company will put a tariff in market Monday, and will also make inside rates for such shippers who will contract to ship all their goods by them until first of December next. The McLelan sailed with a fair cargo. Railroad freights at Boston are fairly active with shipments past week, amounting to 2 628 pkgs, including 115 pkgs fish. Freights at Philadelphia dull. The Red Cloud is the most advanced vessel, and the agents expect to get her off in a few days.

San Francisco Wheat Market.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 28.—There is some anxiety to sell grain to avoid the payment of taxes, which will be assessed on March 1st. This has a tendency to depress the market for wheat and other cereals, as there is no special desire to purchase just at this time. The bag market is active and strong owing to the very promising outlook for crops. Large sales have been made during the past few days, both spot and for forward delivery, at full figures. Calcutta advices report market higher, and advices from Dundee show that goods could not be laid here at less than $11 30 per hundred.

CHARTERS.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 28.—Br sh Reciprocity, 1409 tons, wheat to Cork, U. K.; private.

Bk Malay, 748 tons, coal from Departure Bay to this port.

Gold and Stock Company's Reports.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 28

Wheat—Dull and weaker; best, $1 95.
Barley—Quiet and easy.
Corn—Easier, large yellow sold at $1 05.
Flour—Quiet and steady.
Grain Bags—Firm.
Butter—Choice, strong.
Eggs—California, steadier at 18@19c.

Salmon—Columbia river 1-lb standard brands, sales aggregate 50,000 cases at $1 25@1 22½, and the last sale 5000 cases at $1 20, all on the river; active demand at last price, but sellers firm, mostly for more than highest rate.

Apples—Spitzenbergs, northern spies and pippins choice, strong at $1 50.

Wheat—California milling, choice, sold at $1 95; very few buyers, and these take advantage of little selling pressure; holders generally want $2.

Freights—About £2 direct port for wood; iron nominal but weak.

Charters—Ship Fannie Tucker gets 43s 6d, Cork, U. K., with continental options. Ship Commodore loads; probably owners' account. British ships Reciprocity and Enterprise are rumored taken for wheat.

Receipts—5500 qr sks flour, 85,000 ctls wheat, includes one cargo, 2550 sks potatoes, 10,500 doz eggs.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.

Wheat—Quiet.
Flour—Quiet.
Wool—Quiet.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.

Wheat—$1 24⅞ for April.
Pork—$11 75 for April.
Lard—$7 17½@7 20 for April.

Produce Receipts.

Produce receipts at Portland for the 48 hours ending at noon to-day:

Wheat, 3112 sks; flour, hf sks 1480, qr sks 4642; wool, 4 bales; oats, 178 sks; feed, 590 sks; hay, 11 bales; chickens, 5 coops; eggs, 29 bxs; butter, kgs 5, bxs 3; pelts, 3 bdls; deerskins, 11 bdls; lard, 24 kgs; dr fruit, 3 bxs graham flour, 2 bales; oysters, bxs 72, sks 164; salmon, hf bbls 2; fish, bxs 33, sks 6; dr fish, 4 bxs; hops, 10 bales; apples, 126 bxs; potatoes, 27 sks, lumber, 9500 ft.

Receipts at Celilo.

Per str Gaica, Feb. 27:

S. B. & Co., Seattle—240 qr and 120 hf sks flour.
Diamond S., S. F.—80 hf sks flour.

Per Almota:

D & S, S. F.—224 sks wheat.
P. B.—321 sks wheat.
E. A. H.—136 sks wheat.
Allen & Lewis—1280 sks wheat, 150 sks flour.
A. A. Colson—246 hides.
S. B. & Co., S. F.—52 sks flour.

Per Spokan, Feb. 26:

Allen & Lewis—968 sks wheat.
E A. Hawley & Co.—321 sks wheat.
D. B., S F.—274 sks wheat.

Exports to Puget Sound.

Per O. S. N. Co's boat Emma Hayward, Feb. 28:

To Puyallup—120 sks flour.
To Castle Rock—8 sks flour.
To Seattle—5 sewing machines.
To Chehalis—1 sk dr peaches, 1 sk dr apples, 2 sks beans, 1 cs pickles, 5 sk salt, 1 bx raisins, 1 bx mdse.
To Port Gamble—200 qr sks flour.

Shipping Intelligence.

The Br bk Frankfurt Hall has been hauled up to Allen & Lewis' dock, where she is receiving wheat.

The Br Bk Lammerlaw has completely finished discharging ballast, and is receiving wheat at the foot of Morrison street.

The Br bk Staghound is discharging ballast at Pacific dock, and will receive wheat Monday if she is lined by that time.

The Br ship Kinross is discharging ballast, after having taken in about 200 tons of wheat stiffening.

The Br bk Dilharre and the Am ship Eliza McNeil are taking in the last of their cargo at Astoria and probably finished Saturday evening.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

ASTORIA, Feb. 28—2:45 P. M.—State of California arrived down at noon and crossed out at 2 P. M. The Aberystwith Castle and Don Guillermo crossed out at 2 P. M. Wind southwest; cloudy.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 27.—Ship Bertram Rigby, for San Francisco, came back leaking.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27.—Arrived—Str China, Panama; ship Majestic, Seattle.

Sailed—Bk Revere, Departure bay.

Feb. 28.—Arrived—Schr Premier, Coos bay.

PORT BLAKELY, Feb. 28.—Sailed—Brk Martha Rideout, San Francisco.

VICTORIA, Feb 27.—Passed—Str Hylton Castle, San Francisco; ship Blue Jacket, San Francisco.

PORT DISCOVERY, Feb. 28.—Sailed—Bk Mary Glover, San Francisco.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 28.

25	C & V	[illegible]	1	Caledonia	50c
2	B & B	[illegible]	50	Point	1 [illegible]
1	Savage	[illegible]	4	Bullion	4 15
240	Chollar	[illegible]	12	Eureka	[illegible]
280	Potosi	8 40	1	K K Con	[illegible]
210	Jacket	[illegible]	1	S. Belle	[illegible]
30	Mexican	[illegible]	50	Manhattan	[illegible]
765	[illegible]	[illegible]	1	[illegible]	1 30
15	H & N	[illegible]	57	Ophir	[illegible]
20	Confidence	[illegible]	50	Argenta	65@60c
400	S Nev	[illegible]	25	Savage	[illegible]
35	Exchequer	[illegible]	200	[illegible]	15
11	Overman	[illegible]	200	Day	50c
100	Belcher	[illegible]	300	Paradise	[illegible]
5	Union	[illegible]	55	Albion	30c
1	Lady Bryan	45c	55	Mt Diablo	2 10
2	Julia	[illegible]	535	E Mt Diab	1 55@1 60
105	Caledonia	[illegible]	50	Bodie	[illegible]
1	[illegible]	[illegible]	150	Bechtel	2 05@2 10
1	Challenge	[illegible]	250	McClinton	[illegible]
70	S Hill	1	150	Tioga	2 70@2 65
250	New York	35c	150	Bulwer	[illegible]
200	P Sheridan	[illegible]	10	Syndicate	1 40
100	L Wash	70c	100	Goodshaw	30c
650	Andes	[illegible]	145	Belvidere	2 70@2 75
900	W Fargo	[illegible]	150	Champion	35@30c
200	Ward	1 30	50	B Hawk	90c
5	Scorpion	[illegible]	575	S Bodie	65@70c
100	Leviathan	[illegible]	50	Booker	60c
250	Benton	[illegible]	200	S Standard	25c
250	B Silver	10c	70	Mono	7½
250	G Gate	[illegible]	50	Con Pacific	3½
200	Cundorado	[illegible]	100	Prize	1 40
100	Flowery	5c	300	Jupiter	1 80@1 90
1000	N B Nev	5c	650	So Bulwer	1 75@1 70
200	N Bonanza	20c	300	Noonday	[illegible]
100	S Silver	25c	600	Orient	35@40c
200	Mackey	15c	150	Mammoth	1¾
100	Essex	1	70	Boston	1 30
50	Pioneer	50c	35	Oro	1½
80	B & H	8½	200	Tip Top	4 60
25	Utah	[illegible]	15	Leeds	60c
90	Justice	1 35	50	Jacket	[illegible]
100	Alta	3¼	25	Metallic	2 10
140	Cala	3 75@3 70	100	Con Va	3⅜
20	Kentuck	3			

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Monday Evening, the 1st Day of March,

A. D. 1880, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of hearing a Report of the Board of Directors and Clerk; also for the purpose of levying a tax for the support of the schools for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting.

D. W. WILLIAMS,
Clerk of School District No. 1, Multnomah Co., Or.

ALSO,

The legal voters of School District No. 1, Multnomah county, Oregon, are hereby notified that the Annual Election for said district will be held at 149 Third street in said district, on

Monday, March 8, 1880,

For the purpose of electing one Director to serve three years, and a clerk to serve one year.

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"*Resolved*, That the Agricultural Lands of the Company west of the Missouri river to Puget Sound shall be offered for sale to actual settlers at Government price of $2 50 per acre, with an addition thereto of ten cents per acre to be paid to the Company to reimburse it for the cost of selecting, surveying and conveying said land.

"This resolution does not apply to coal or iron lands, nor to lands chiefly valuable for timber, nor to lands required for town sites or suitable for manufacturing sites, nor in regions where water is scarce to lands containing springs or other natural supply, where it shall be for the interest of settlers at large that such water privileges shall not be exclusively held or controlled by any individual; nor to the lands required for the use of the Company in connection with the operation of the road."

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CITY TAXES.

The Tax Roll for 1880 is now in my hands for collection, and all Taxes assessed thereon must be paid at my office, 122 First street, within thirty days from this date, or the same will be returned as delinquent.

JOSEPH BACHMAN,
Treasurer City of Portland.

Portland, Feb. 9, 1880.

Attention is called to the following extract from Ordinance No. 1114:

All taxes, licenses, assessments for street improvements, etc., etc., * * * * and all moneys arising from any other source belonging and payable in or into the City Treasury, shall hereafter be paid in gold coin of the United States of America, and not otherwise; provided, that sums not exceeding five dollars ($5) may be paid in silver coin f9d1m

State Treasurers Twelfth Notice.

STATE OF OREGON,
TREASURER'S OFFICE, Salem, Feb. 23, 1880.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE are funds on hand applicable to the payment of warrants of 1874, numbered as follows:

1775, 1776, 1777, 1778, 1780, 1781, 1782, 1786, 1787, 1788, 1789, 1790, 1791, 1792, 1793, 1794, 1795, 1801, 1806, 1818, 1819, 1820, 1821, 1822, 1823, 1830, 1832, 1833, 1835, 1836, 1837, 1838, 1844, 1846, 1847, 1861, 1863, 1865, 1867.

Interest on the above will not be allowed after this date.

EDWARD HIRSCH,
State Treasurer.

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RAILROADS.

Oregon & California R

To Take Effect Sunday, Sept. 12 o'clock noon.

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAYS)

As follows.

PORTLAND AND ROS

LEAVE.	ARRIVE
Portland ....7:30 A. M.	Roseburg
Roseburg.......5:00 A. M.	Portland

ALBANY EXPRESS TRAIN

DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS)

As follows.

LEAVE	ARRIVE
Portland......... 4:00 P. M.	Albany
Albany..........5:30 A. M.	Portland

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DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS,

LEAVE.	
Portland.........6 15 A. M.	Junction
Junction.........5 30 A. M.	Portland

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TACOMA TO WILKESON

(Coal Mines.)

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DAILY, (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED)

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Kalama.........11:20 A. M.	Tacoma
Tacoma..........7:00 A. M.	Kalama

Puyallup Road

LEAVE	
Tacoma..........6:45 A. M.	Wilkeson
Wilkeson.........2:30 P. M.	Tacoma

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S. T. RANDALL

Portland, Oregon, Feb. 1st, 1880.

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After doctoring for seven long doctors and surgeons, and that time the greatest pain and or night. I consulted DR. of 212 First street, Portland; he out of the question, but he stone, which was the size of a walnut The first drilling lasted five one half of the stone away sand, and not a single drop of a great deal of relief. The two and a half hours of skillful ground the remainder of the gravel and sand without the of blood, and thanks to the doctor ment I am cured of the most malady known to the medical ther information call at my Island, Willamette Slough.

Multnomah county, Oregon,
Witness, G. W. THAYER.

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EXECUTORS NOTICE.—NOTICE given that the undersigned order of the County Court of the for the County of Multnomah, entered on the 23d day of February duly appointed executors of the last testament of William O. Brunn, sons having claims against the decedent are hereby required to with the proper vouchers to J. Van Schuyver, at his place of First street, Portland, Oregon, from the date hereof. W. J VAN SCHUYVER, WILLIAM

Executors of the last will and O.

Portland, Oregon, Feb. 26th 1880.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE hereby given that the undersigned appointed Administratrix of the ander Ring, deceased, by the county lumbia county, Oregon and that all said estate must be presented to dence of said Ring, deceased, in or at the office of Northup & Gilbert, Portland verified as the law requires months from the date hereof.

BERTHA A. RING, Administratrix of the estate of Alexander Ring,

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The Daily Oregonian.

MONDAY MORNING MARCH 1 1880

THE MARKED ARM

Click! In the dead of night a sharp sound awakened Mrs Halifont The room was dark. Not even a gleam of moon or starlight fell through the curtains of the windows It was a very strange sound indeed but she saw nothing, heard nothing more

She sat up, leaning on her dimpled left elbow, and put out her right hand and touched her husband's shoulder He lay upon his pillow sound asleep, and did not awaken at her touch

"It must have been a dream" said Mrs Halifont, and her young head—she was only the bride of a year—nestled down again closer to her husband's arm and she slept again

Click!

This time the sound did not arouse Mrs Halifont. It was her husband who awakened He did not pause to listen but grasped the revolver beneath his pillow and jumped out of bed at once In an alcove in the next room stood a safe which contained money and valuables. It was not one of the wonderful new safes that defy fire and burglars but an old one that had been in the family a long time Mr Halifont knew on the instant that some one was opening this safe

A man of courage, a man who never hesitated in the face of danger—one, too, who had a warm regard for worldly possession—Mr Halifont strode at once into the room where he knew the housebreakers were at work, and, running in the dark against a powerful man, tackled him at once

The light of a lantern flashed across the room. There were two more men Three against two

The sound of blows, struggling and the report of a pistol aroused the young wife once more. Amidst her terror she had the good sense to light the gas. It shone upon a spectacle of horror Her husband weltering in his blood, wrestling with a gigantic man whose features were concealed by a mask of black crape, a man, the upper part of whose body was clothed only in a knitted woolen shirt, of some dark color, with sleeves that left his great arms bare On the right one the one which clutched Mr Halifont's throat was a red mark or brand, or scar, or birthmark. It would have been impossible for Mrs. Halifont, even in a calmer moment, to tell what it was; but it indelibly impressed itself upon her mind, as she bravely cast herself in to the struggle, and fought with all her might to drag the horrible hand from her husband's throat, screaming all the while for aid.

A blow, a kick would have silenced her The burglar must have known that, but there are very bad men who could not use violence toward a woman to save their own lives This man could not. His companions had fled with the booty; help might arrive at any moment. With a great effort he wrenched himself from the clutch of his victim, and let go his throat and sped away. It was not too soon. Assistance arrived now that it was too late, but Mr. Halifont did not live to tell the story. He was mortally wounded His young wife watched by his bedside until he breathed his last, then dropped senseless beside it.

For weeks she raved in wild delirium of the murderous hand, of the great muscular arm with the scar upon it, and called upon them all to save her husband's life; but she was young and had a fine constitution. After a while her health returned, and, at last, her mind regained its equipoise.

She removed from the city and took up her abode in a lonely country place, with a favorite sister for a companion. She had resolved as all widows who loved their husbands do at first to remain a widow forever. And indeed though many men would gladly have married one so young, beautiful and wealthy to change her mind on this point, she seemed to care less for any one of them than for the kitten which purred upon her knee, or the black-and-tan terrier which ran by her side along the garden paths. She was 18 when her husband was murdered, at 22 she was still true to his memory.

Is any one forever utterly true to another's memory out of romance—any one who does not die young? I fear not. In this lapsing summer of woman's life, when she pretended to believe that autumn had actually come, temptation to inconstancy assailed her For many years a fine house upon the neighboring estate had been empty, but now there came to take possession of it a gentleman not yet 40, a widower with plenty of money, and no children; a handsome man, well built and stalwart, with magnificent black hair, and eyes that were like black diamonds; a foreigner [illegible] indeed, he called himself a Spaniard, and his speech betrayed a foreign accent.

The dark eyes and blue ones met, a few exceedingly words exchanged, a call followed soon. Mrs. Halifont felt a new emotion creeping into her heart. She felt pleased and flattered by this stranger's admiration. Then she knew that she was loved, and rejoiced, and so discovered that she herself loved again

At first she was angry with herself; then she wept over her inconstancy, but at last she yielded utterly. After all, it was love that made her untrue. Since she had loved, she could never pride herself on being faithful again, and so listened to the sweet words that, despite herself, made her happy, and promised to marry Col. Humphries.

When a widow does marry a second time she generally contrives to make a fool of herself.

Mrs. Halifont had certainly not done as foolishly as some widows do. She had neither chosen a little boy, nor a titled Italian without money enough to keep himself in macaroni. Her future husband was older than herself, and too rich to be suspected of any intention of being a fortune hunter; but, after all, no one knew him. He came into the neighborhood without letters of introduction to any one and whether he won his fortune by trade or came to it by inheritance, remained a mystery.

There were those who shrugged their shoulders, and declared that Mrs Halifont would regret not having chosen some one of whom more was known—some retired merchant, some gentleman of fortune, whose father had been known to her friends Nothing to be sure could be said about the Spaniard or Cuban with the English name; but who knew anything in his favor?

However no one said this to Mrs Halifont, or if any one had, words never changed a woman's fancy yet. Mrs. Halifont believed in Col. Humphries, and meant to marry him.

Indeed the trousseau was prepared, the wedding day fixed, all was ready, and Ida Halifont believed herself to be a very happy woman. She once more built castles in the air. Her old sorrow seemed to fade away in the distance. She was a girl again.

At last only twenty-four hours lay between her and her wedding day

She was busy in her sewing room on this last day, finishing some ruffles in lace and ribbons, singing softly to herself, when suddenly the house was filled with cries

An old man-servant, while cutting the grass upon the lawn, had wounded himself seriously. The doctor was sent for at once, but was not home, and meanwhile poor Zebedee was bleeding to death

Suddenly Ida Halifont remembered that Mr. Humphries had said that he understood wounds, as though he had been bred a surgeon. Without this, it would have been natural for her to call on one who was so soon to be her protector, in a moment of anxiety. She would call him herself that there might be no delay, and seizing her garden hat she ran along a little path that led from her ground to that of Mr Humphries, climbed a low fence, to save time which would have been lost in reaching a gate, and so gained the rear of the dwelling of which to-morrow she will be mistress

She thought herself terrified and distressed She felt rather injured in that such an unpleasant thing as the wounding of poor old Zebedee should have happened on the eve of her wedding day. Ten minutes before she thought herself at that moment as utterly at ease—wondrously happy—for, as she reached these windows and peered half timidly through the curtains, a thing happened that made all she had ever suffered appear as nothing.

The room, the windows of which she had approached, was one that opened out of a conservatory She saw Col Humphries busy with some rare plants he had just set out to the sunshine that fell through the glass He had taken off his coat and rolled up his sleeves. Now he left the conservatory and coming forward proceeded to wash his hands in a basin of water that had been set ready for him He was close to Ida Halifont He did not see her but she [illegible] out her hand and touched him Why did she not speak and call him by name Why did she sink down upon her hands and tremble like an aspen leaf Alas! the awful reason was this, Upon that instant when she was about to give him a clasp of tender[illegible] she saw a terrible mark—a mark she had seen once before She knew its shape size and color Her eyes had been riveted upon it as the sinewy hand at the wrist of which it appeared grasped her dying husband's throat. It had burned itself by heart; she could not be deceived Though years had rolled away that horrible marked arm was not to be forgotten or mistaken for any other.

Suddenly Col Humphries felt himself grasped by a hand that was still as it was hot, the fierce touch of a tiger's claw. The fingers closed over that red mark—a white face came close to his,

"You are my husband's murderer" hissed a voice in his ear

Then the two stood staring at each other He made no denial He only looked down to the red mark upon his arm and cursed it aloud

"How dare you make love to me" she gasped "You—"

"Because I loved you" he said "Woman if I had not fallen into love with you that night, I would have killed you also It was risking my life to spare you with your screams calling help to hunt me down—"

"Oh if you had but killed me then" she moaned

"Well, I am at your mercy now" he said

She answered—

"You can kill! I wish you would I pray do it You killed my husband The murderer of my husband must be brought to justice, and I—yesterday, nay an hour ago—I loved you! Oh, God pity me! I have loved this man, this thief who came in the night to rob my husband and who murdered him"

She remembered saying this Afterward a strange drowsiness overcame her She seemed to let go her hold on the world She faintly recognized the fact that Col. Humphries knelt at her feet and kissed her hands Then there were blank hours and strange wild dreams, and she awakened in the twilight and found herself bound fast to a great arm chair, long cords about her arms, tying her hands and confining her feet

So her servants found her; but she was the only living being in the great house Col Humphries and his two black servants had vanished, no one knew whither

The empty chloroform bottle on the floor—the fact that he left little behind him, and that he always kept his money in a form that left him free to leave the country at any time, all proved that detection was prepared for And he was never tracked—or had the means to bribe those who were set on his track

Ida Halifont lived through it all She lives to-day in the quiet house beside the river, but no one has ever seen her smile since that hour No one will ever see her smile again And from her slumbers she starts in terror, fancying that she sees uplifted menacingly, above, that cruel terrible arm, marked with the blood-red stain There is no hope of happiness for her, for she never can forget that this arm has embraced her

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VARIOUS QUESTIONS.

How a Professional Office Holder is Likely to Exceed the Bounds of Propriety in Trying to "Keep In"

WALLA WALLA W. T Feb 16, 1880

To the Editor of the Oregonian

Last fall Gov. Ferry stated to the members of the legislature, that if they appointed him Code Commissioner and he was reappointed to his present position, he would make no charge for revising the laws Next in order a petition was presented them for signature, by which they were made to request the president to appoint him for a 3d term This proceeding was not generally known to the people Now his excellency is causing petitions to be circulated in every county in the Territory, to be signed by the people, and requesting the President to reappoint him The canvass is intended to be thorough and allow none to escape who can be induced to sign.

On the above state of facts, I wish to propound a few questions and possibly you may be kind enough to answer through the columns of THE OREGONIAN We print the questions but do not undertake to answer them. ED)

1 Was ever the territorial governorship known to be sought for in this manner before?

2 If it is proper for a territorial governor to apply to members of the legislature for their influence toward retaining him in office, how far may he go in the way of making his application to them effective?

3 Would it add anything to the dignity or purity of the administration, if a governor would say to one member, "I will use my influence to have your bill pass, and I will sign it, if you and your friends will petition the president for my reappointment?" To another he could say on the same condition "I will appoint you or your friend to some office, and to another he might say, "yes, I will pardon the man you want out of the penitentiary, and, by the way here is a petition for my reappointment, I wish you would sign it," and so on, on the principle of "quid pro quo—indefinitely These are supposed cases, but they might easily occur

4 Is it proper for a governor, in seeking a reappointment to send out petitions for the people to sign? and if it is, how are his rivals for the appointment to proceed? Shall they all appeal to the people by petition, and will the president be influenced in making the appointment in favor of the one having the greatest number of petitions?

5 Suppose a governor should send or cause to be sent petitions all over the territory requesting the people to sign, asking for his reappointment, and in fact not more than one man in every ten are in favor of his reappointment, how are the nine dissentients to protect themselves against the influence of the one man who signs? Is it natural or practicable to expect that they must organize and circulate remonstrances or be bound by what every tenth man may be induced to do?

6 Would the adoption of such a practice tend to shut the will of the people?

7 Would the principle be a safe one in support of a republican form of government?

8 Should petitions take the place of the delegate as representing the will of the people?

In conclusion we say that we deem it entirely safe to estimate those who are opposed to the governor's reappointment to a third term at least three-fourths of the voting population of the territory REPUBLICAN

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

SATURDAY EVENING Feb. 28

SAN FRANCISCO Feb. 28 —Silver 99½ buying par selling

Sterling exchange on London bankers 60 days entirely nominal

NEW YORK Feb. 28.—Silver bullion 1000 fine per ounce closed weak at 13⅝.

Sterling exchange prime bankers long $4 85 short $4 88 good commercial from 1 to ¾c lower documentary 2 to 1½c lower

U S Bonds—6s of '81 103½, 4½s, 109¾ 4s 106⅝

LONDON Feb 28.—Consols, 97 13-16 money

Silver, English standard per fine ounce 925 fine, opened 52.

U S Bonds—6s, '81 105⅞ 4½s, 110½ 4s 109⅝

Money and Stocks.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN

NEW YORK Feb 28.—Coin ½ discount money 5@6 governments strong ⅛@¼ higher W U 114½ Erie 45¼

LONDON, Feb. 28 —Consols 97 3 16 fours, 109½ Erie 4 ¼

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISION MARKET

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN]

CHICAGO Feb. 28 —The grain market during the past week has been fluctuating but slightly with a well defined feeling of weakness in spite of a drop in east bound freight rates and firmer prices in Liverpool. The feeling to day was very weak until just at the close when there was a stiffening up all around Provisions too showed but very little strength

Wheat—Sold for April $1 24 ¼

Corn—36⅞@38⅛

Oats—31¼@32⅛

Pork—$11 70@12 1[illegible]

Lard—$7 1[illegible]@7 40

Closing April prices were wheat $1 25 corn 36⅝ oats 31⅝ pork $11 85 lard [illegible] Closing cash prices were wheat $1 23 [illegible] corn 36 [illegible] oats 31⅝@31⅝ rye, 75c barley 75c pork $11 52½ [illegible] 65, lard 7 1[illegible] 10@ ½

Whiskey—Moderately active and firm at $1 0[illegible]

Receipts for the week—Wheat 1 3[illegible] 000 bushels, corn 1 069 000 bushels; oats [illegible] 000 bushels

Shipments—Wheat 86 0[illegible] bushels corn 74 000 bushels oats, 133 000 bushels

Receipts same time last year—Wheat 304 000 bushels corn 509 000 bushels oats 143 000 bushels

The movement has not been free and it is not believed that the very moderate lowering of rates to the seaboard by trunk line managers will have any appreciable effect in stimulating shipments

NEW YORK MARKETS

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN

NEW YORK Feb 28 There has been a fair movement in most of the principal articles of merchandise during the current week and although there have been few radical changes yet markets have generally ruled firm and in some cases prices have turned in favor of sellers by the advance in a few commodities Others have declined but on the whole the situation is healthy and there is every indication of a good spring trade

Breadstuffs—Brain [illegible] lower

Wheat—Again [illegible]

Barley—Nominal purchasing [illegible] cargo of Cal extra [illegible]

Provisions—Quiet [illegible]

R[illegible]—A quarter lower and [illegible]

Refined sugars—Cut loaf in good demand closing firm Crushed and powdered [illegible] granulated [illegible] cut loaf [illegible] coffee A standard [illegible] white extra C [illegible] yellow [illegible]

Teas—Moderate in uncertain demand but firmly held

Petroleum—Steady and quiet

Turpentine—Moderate demand steady

Crude sperm and whale oil firm for former steadier for latter Market however quiet. Linseed oil irregular at 8[illegible]@83c; lard oil firm and in fair demand at 62@64c

Paints good steady demand and firm

Borax good demand and firm at 10½@10¾c in barrels 11@11 ½c in cases

Quicksilver very firm and higher closing at [illegible]

Opium quiet $4 in bond

Hides in better demand than for some time prices steadier Sales 1600 California at 21 ½c at 30 days

Leather is in fair demand Prices firm at 25@26 for California

Hops in better demand from brewers Prices unchanged

Hardware in scarcely so active demand Prices remain generally steady and few changes of moment have taken place Nails firmly held on the basis of $3 40 per keg

Pig Iron—Firmly held at $40 per ton for No 1 but the market is very dull for both American and Scotch manufactured

Iron—Fair demand at full rates common merchant bar from store quoted $3 75

Pig Lead—Dull and steady at $5 40 for common

Tin Plate—Quiet and easier

Wool—Active but the great bulk of sales is for eign as the stock of domestic is small and under the control of holders who will carry it and await developments Advices from abroad continue very strong and values tending upward Cables from London say that buyers are eager for Australian at ½d higher Sales of Cal in this market, 15 000 lbs and 250 bales fall at 24½@30 20 bales spring at 39c

Dry Goods—Scarcely so active for cotton goods. Prints and most other fabrics adapted to spring and summer wear continue in good demand The tone of the market is very firm and all kinds of goods are stiffly held

Eastern Freights

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN]

NEW YORK Feb 28—There is no improvement to quote in the freight market via Cape Horn which remains very quiet. A feeling of distrust as to spring trade in California grows daily and there is no disposition to make contracts for delivery although the latest dispatches are more quieting and no fears are entertained but that the authorities will be able to cope with any body of rioters Still shippers and others interested in the trade are desirous of knowing that the whole matter is settled The St Nicholas is loading to-night. Rates of freight per clipper are irregular and the competition of three lines leads to some cutting Isthmus freights also more quiet owing to the unsettled feeling among shippers The Pacific mail company will put a tariff in market Monday and will also make inside rates for such shippers who will contract to ship all their goods by them until first of December next The McLelan sailed with a fair cargo Railroad freights at Boston are fairly active with shipments past week amounting to 2 628 pkgs, including 115 pkgs fish Freights at Philadelphia dull The Red Cloud is the most advanced vessel and the agents expect to get her off in a few days.

San Francisco Wheat Market.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN]

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 28.—There is some anxiety to sell grain to avoid the payment of taxes, which will be assessed on March 1st. This has a tendency to depress the market for wheat and other cereals, as there is no special desire to purchase just at this time The bag market is active and strong owing to the very promising outlook for crops. Large sales have been made during the past few days both spot and for forward delivery at full figures Calcutta advices report market higher, and advices from Dundee show that goods could not be laid here at less than $11 30 per hundred

CHARTERS.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN]

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 28 —Br sh Reciprocity, 1409 tons wheat to Cork U K private

Bk Malay, 743 tons, coal from Departure Bay to this port

Gold and Stock Company's Reports.

SAN FRANCISCO Feb. 28

Wheat—Dull and weaker buyer [illegible], $1 95

Barley—Quiet and easy

Corn—Easier, large yellow sold at $1 65

Flour—Quiet and steady

Grain Bags—Firm

Butter—Choice strong

Eggs—California steadier at 18@19c.

Salmon—Columbia river 1 lb standard brands, sales aggregate 50 000 cases at $1 25@1 22½ and the last sale 5000 cases at $1 20 all on the river active demand at last price, but sellers firm mostly for more than highest rate.

Apples—Spitzenbergs northern spies and pippins choice, strong at $1 50

Wheat—California milling choice sold at $1 95 very few buyers, and these take advantage of little selling pressure, holders generally want $2

Freights—About £2 direct port for wood iron nominal but weak

Charters—Ship Fannie Tucker gets 43s 6d, Cork U K, with continental options Ship Commodore loads probably owners account. British ships Reciprocity and Enterprise are rumored taken for wheat

Receipts—5500 qr sks flour 85,000 ctls wheat, includes one cargo, 2450 sks potatoes 10,500 doz eggs.

NEW YORK MARKETS

NEW YORK, Feb 28.

Wheat—Quiet

Flour—Quiet.

Wool—Quiet.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO Feb 28.

Wheat—$1 24⅝ for April,

Pork—$11 75 for April

Lard—$7 17½@7 20 for April

Produce Receipts.

Produce receipts at Portland for the 48 hours ending at noon to day

Wheat, 3112 sks flour, hf sks 1480 qr sks 4642, wool 4 bales, oats 178 sks feed, 690 sks hay 11 bales chickens, 5 coops, eggs 29 bxs, butter, kgs 5, bxs 3, pelts, 3 bdls deerskins, 11 bdls lard, 24 kgs, dr fruit 3 bxs graham flour, 2 bales, oysters bxs 72, sks 164 salmon, hf bbls 2 fish, bxs 38, sks 6 dr fish, 4 bxs hops 10 bales, apples, 126 bxs potatoes, 27 sks, lumber, 9500 ft

Receipts at Callio.

Per str Gates, Feb 27

E B & Co, Seattle—240 qr and 120 hf sks flour

Diamond s, S F—80 hf sks flour

Per Almota.

D & B S F—324 sks wheat

P B—311 sks wheat.

E A H—185 sks wheat

Allen & Lewis—1280 sks wheat 150 sks flour

A. A Colson—246 hides

S B & Co S F—52 sks flour

Per Spokan, Feb 26

Allen & Lewis—963 sks wheat.

E A Hawley & Co —321 sks wheat

D, B., S F—274 sks wheat,

Exports to Puget Sound.

Per O S N Co's boat Emma Hayward Feb 28

To Puyallup—120 sks flour

To Castle Rock—8 sks flour

To Seattle—6 sewing machines

To Chehalis—1 sk dr peaches, 1 sk dr apples 2 sks beans, 1 cs pickles 5 sk salt, 1 bx raisins, 1 bx mdse.

To Port Gamble—200 qr sks flour

Shipping Intelligence.

The Br bk Frankfort Hall has been hauled up to Allen & Lewis dock, where she is receiving wheat

The Br Bk Lammerlaw has completely finished discharging ballast, and is receiving wheat at the foot of Morrison street.

The Br bk Staghound is discharging ballast at Pacific dock and will receive wheat Monday if she is lined by that time

The Br ship Kinross is discharging ballast after having taken in about 200 tons of wheat stiffening

The Br bk Dilharre and the Am ship Eliza McNeil are taking in the last of their cargo at Astoria and probably finished Saturday evening

[BY TELEGRAPH]

ASTORIA Feb 28—2.45 P M —State of California arrived down at noon and crossed out at [illegible] P M. The Aberystwith Castle and Don Guillermo crossed out at 2 P M Wind southwest cloudy

LIVERPOOL Feb 2[illegible]—Ship Bertram Rigby for San Francisco came back leaking

SAN FRANCISCO Feb. 2[illegible]—Arrived—Str China Panama ship Majestic Seattle.

Sailed—Bk Revere Departure bay

Feb 28.—Arrived—Schr Premier Coos bay.

PORT BLAKELY Feb 28 —Sailed—Brk Martha Rideout San Francisco.

VICTORIA Feb 27—Passed—Str Hylton Castle San Francisco ship Blue Jacket San Francisco

PORT DISCOVERY Feb 28.—Sailed—Bk Mary Glover San Francisco

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SAN FRANCISCO Feb 28

[illegible]	B & B	[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]
4	Chollar		1	[illegible]	[illegible]
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[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]	Day	[illegible]
[illegible]	Belcher		[illegible]	Paradise	[illegible]
			5	Alta [illegible]	30c
10	Lady Bryan	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]		[illegible]	E [illegible]	[illegible]
			[illegible]	Belle	
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4	Challenge	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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[illegible]	New York	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] Gate	[illegible]
[illegible]	P Sheridan		[illegible]	[illegible]	30c
100	I Wash		[illegible]	Belvidere	[illegible]
[illegible]	Andes	[illegible]	[illegible]	Champion	[illegible] 40c
[illegible]	W Fargo	[illegible]	[illegible]	B Hawk	80c
[illegible]	Ward	[illegible]	[illegible]	S Belle	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Booker	60c
100	Leviathan		[illegible]	Standard	[illegible]
[illegible]	Benton	[illegible] 90		[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	S Silver	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
250	G Gale	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
200	Con Imperial	[illegible]	100	Prize	1 40
100	Flowery	15c	600	Jupiter	[illegible]
1000	N B Nev	[illegible]	650	So Bulwer	[illegible]
300	N Bonanza	[illegible]	300	Noonday	[illegible]
100	B Silver	10c	600	Orient	[illegible]@40c
200	Mackey	15c	380	Mammoth	1¾
100	Essex	1	70	Boston	1 30
[illegible]	Pioneer	5	35	Oro	[illegible]
30	B & B	[illegible]	200	Tip Top.	1 60
[illegible]	Utah	11 [illegible]	[illegible]	Leeds	[illegible]
[illegible]	Justice	1 35	[illegible]	Jacket	9 [illegible]
100	Alta	3½	35	Metallic	[illegible]
140	Cala	[illegible]	100	Con Va	8¾
[illegible]	Kentuck	3			

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Annual School Meeting.

FOR 1880

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE TAXPAYERS of School District No 1 Multnomah County Oregon will be held in the court house of said county in said district on

Monday Evening, the 1st Day of March,

A D 1880 at 7 30 o clock, for the purpose of hearing a Report of the Board of Directors and Clerk also for the purpose of levying a tax for the support of the schools for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting

D W WILLIAMS

Clerk of School District No 1 Multnomah Co , Or

ALSO

The legal voters of School District No 1 Multnomah county Oregon are hereby notified that the Annual Election for said district will be held at 149 Third street in said district on

Monday, March 8, 1880,

For the purpose of electing one Director to serve three years and a clerk to serve one year

Polls to be open from 2 to 6 o clock P M

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"Resolved That the Agricultural Lands of the Company west of the Missouri river to Puget Sound shall be offered for sale to actual settlers at Government price of $2 50 per acre with an addition thereto of ten cents per acre to be paid to the Company to reimburse it for the cost of selecting surveying and conveying said land

This resolution does not apply to coal or iron lands nor to lands chiefly valuable for timber, nor to lands required for town sites or suitable for manufacturing sites nor in regions where water is scarce to lands containing springs or other natural supply where it shall be for the interest of settlers at large that such water privileges shall not be exclusively held or controlled by any individual nor to the lands required for the use of the Company in connection with the operation of the road.

To persons wishing to purchase on time the remarkably low price of four dollars per acre is given on the following terms One fourth cash at time of purchase the balance in four equal yearly payments at 7 per cent interest The above price for time sales is adopted for the present, but may be subject to change in the future

All persons who have filed with the Railroad Company notices of intention to purchase or 'Settlers Applications, as they are called, for land in this Division (except for the class of lands reserved by the terms of the resolution above given) and who have continued to reside upon or cultivate the land applied for are requested to complete their purchase by making cash payment, or time contract, for the same For this purpose application should be made to the Railroad Land Office at Colfax

Persons who have not made actual settlement or improvement upon land they may have applied for, have no right to the first privilege of purchase such lands will be sold to the first applicant. Those persons who have in good faith settled upon and improved the Company's land should lose no time in securing the same, as after a given time the land is subject to sale to any other person

The land in this division being now offered for sale, no more "Settlers Applications will be filed

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Township 15 North, Ranges 28 to 39 East.
Township 16 North, Ranges 29 to 41 East.
Township 17 North, Ranges 29 to 43 East.
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Township 19 North, Ranges 30 to 45 East.
Township 20 North, Ranges 30 to 46 East.
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CITY TAXES.

The Tax Roll for 1880 is now in my hands for collection, and all Taxes assessed thereon must be paid at my office 122 First street, within thirty days from this date, or the same will be returned as delinquent.

JOSEPH BACHMAN,

Treasurer City of Portland.

Portland, Feb. 9, 1880.

Attention is called to the following extract from Ordinance No 1114:

All taxes licenses assessments for street improvements etc etc * * * * and all moneys arising from any other source belonging and payable in or into the City Treasury shall hereafter be paid in gold coin of the United States of America and not otherwise provided that sums not exceeding five dollars ($5) may be paid in silver coin f9d m

State Treasurers Twelfth Notice.

STATE OF OREGON

TREASURER'S OFFICE Salem Feb 188[illegible]

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE are funds on hand applicable to the payment of warrants of 18[illegible] number 1 as follows

1 5	1775	1[illegible]	1	8 1[illegible]	18	[illegible]	6[illegible]	8
1786	1 89	1 9[illegible]	1	[illegible]	1 9	1 [illegible]	173	181
18 6	1818	1813	182	1821	18	8	89	181
18 3	1835	1836	1837	1838	1844	1846	181	1861
18[illegible] 3	186	18[illegible]						

Interest on the above will not be allowed after this date. EDWARD HIRSCH

f2daw w State Treasurer

RAILROADS.

Oregon & California R[illegible]

To take Effect Sunday, Sept. 2[illegible] 18 o'clock [illegible]

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAYS [illegible] as follows

PORTLAND AND RO[illegible]

LEAVE

Portland ....7 30 A. M. | Roseburg
Roseburg ....5 00 A. M. | Portland

ALBANY EXPRESS

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) As follows

LEAVE

Portland .... 4 00 P M | Albany
Albany .... 5 30 A. M | Portland

FREIGHT TRAINS

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAYS, [illegible]

LEAVE

Portland ....6 15 A. M. | Junction
Junction ....5 30 A. M | Portland

The Oregon and California Railroad [illegible] connection with all Regular Trains

Close connections are made at [illegible] the Stages of the California and Oregon [illegible] pany

Tickets for Sale to all the principal [illegible] California and the East, at Company's [illegible]

Cor. F and Front Sts., at Ferry [illegible]

PORTLAND.

Storage will be charged on freight [illegible] Warehouse over 24 hours.

Freight will not be received [illegible] o'clock P M.

J BRANDT, Jr., [illegible]

E P ROGERS Gen'l Freight and Pass[illegible]

Northern Pacific [illegible]

PACIFIC DIVISION.

KALAMA TO TACOMA

AND

TACOMA TO WI[illegible]

(Coal Mines.)

MAIN LINE TRA[illegible]

DAILY, (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED)

LEAVE

Kalama ....11:30 A. M. Tacoma
Tacoma ....7:00 A. M. Kalama

Puyallup Road [illegible]

LEAVE

Tacoma ....6:45 A. M. Wilkeson
Wilkeson ....2:30 P. M. Tacoma

CONNECTIONS

At Tacoma with Pacific Mail [illegible] Victoria and San Francisco, [illegible] Steamers for Seattle, Steilacoom, [illegible] points on Puget Sound.

At Lake View with Stage [illegible]

At Tenino with O. & T. R. [illegible]

At Kalama with O. S. N. Co.'s [illegible] land and all points on Columbia [illegible]

At Portland on Wednesday and [illegible] A M with steamers for Port [illegible] Nanaimo, New Westminster and [illegible]

Through Tickets for sale at [illegible] the Company, and at the Office of [illegible] in Portland, Oregon, to Victoria [illegible] via P M S S Co's steamship [illegible] O. S. S Co and P. C. S. S. Co's [illegible] Portland to San Francisco.

Through Tickets to Portland [illegible] Victoria, Seattle, Tacoma and [illegible]

J. W. SPRAGUE [illegible]

OTIS SPRAGUE, Gen'l Freight [illegible]

PORTLAND, [illegible]

CHRONIC DISEASES OF [illegible]

FEMALES A SPECIAL[illegible]

ANOTHER SUF[illegible]

Snatched from the Gr[illegible]

I THINK IT MY DUTY TO SUFF[illegible] manity to make the following [illegible] wife s sufferings were unbearable, [illegible] the time, still she grew worse and [illegible] day still she was a mere skeleton. [illegible] only resort, I was advised to [illegible] DEN BERGH, sr. I must say I ha[illegible] in her ever getting relieved. The [illegible] very thorough examination, [illegible] sible to effect a cure in three [illegible] worms were the cause of the [illegible] and the great distress and pain [illegible] also the female and nervous [illegible] miseries. After taking his [illegible] days she commenced getting [illegible] getting better and gained strength [illegible] of solid flesh during the [illegible] the Doctor for saving my wife [illegible] grave and my little children from [illegible] less. For any further information [illegible] residence and see my wife [illegible] Fifth and Sheridan streets.

S. T. RANDALL [illegible]

Portland Oregon, Feb. 1st, 188[illegible]

REMOVAL OF A [illegible]

The Size of a Walnut [illegible] of a Single Drop of [illegible]

After doctoring for seven long [illegible] doctors and surgeons, and [illegible] that time the greatest pain and [illegible] or night. I consulted DR. VA[illegible] of 212 First street, Portland he [illegible] out of the question, but he [illegible] stone, which was the size of a wa[illegible] The first drilling lasted five [illegible] one half of the stone away [illegible] sand, and not a single drop of [illegible] a great deal of relief. The [illegible] two and a half hours of skillful [illegible] ground the remainder of the [illegible] gravel and sand without the [illegible] of blood, and thanks to the [illegible] ment I am cured of the most [illegible] malady known to the medical [illegible] ther information call at my [illegible] Island, Willamette Slough. T[illegible]

Multnomah county, Oregon, [illegible]

Witness, G W THAYER.

DR. SPIN[illegible]

No. 11 Kearny [illegible]

Treats all Chronic and [illegible]

YOUNG M[illegible]

WHO MAY BE SUFFERING [illegible] fects of youthful follies [illegible] do well to avail themselves of [illegible] boon ever laid at the altar of [illegible] DR. SPINNEY will guarantee [illegible] every case of Seminal Weakness [illegible] case of any kind or character [illegible] takes and fails to cure.

MIDDLE AGED M[illegible]

There are many at the age of [illegible] who are troubled with too frequent [illegible] the bladder, often accompanied by [illegible] ing or burning sensation and a [illegible] system in a manner the patient [illegible] for On examining the urinary [illegible] sediment will often be found, [illegible] small particles of albumen will [illegible] color will be of a thin milkish [illegible] ing to a dark and torpid appearance [illegible] many men who die of this difficulty [illegible] the cause which is the second [illegible] weakness Dr, S. will guarantee [illegible] all such cases, and a healthy [illegible] genito-urinary organs

Office Hours—10 to 4 and 6 to 8, [illegible] 10 to 11 A. M. Consultation free [illegible] amination and advice, $5. Call or [illegible]

DR. SPINNEY [illegible]

j8dtf No. 11 Kearny street, [illegible]

P S—For private diseases of [illegible] full course of medicines, sufficient [illegible] all instructions will be sent to any [illegible] ceipt of $10

DR. JORDAN,

PROPRIETOR OF ANATOMICAL [illegible]

Kearny Street, bet. Bush and [illegible]

(The only pupil in California of [illegible] Ricord, of Paris)

Can be consulted by letter or at [illegible] ual Weakness and Loss of [illegible]

No 211 Geary street, between Stockton [illegible] San Francisco

EXECUTORS NOTICE—NOTICE [illegible] given that the undersigned have [illegible] order of the County Court of the [illegible] for the County of Multnomah, [illegible] entered on the 23d day of February [illegible] duly appointed executors of the last [illegible] tament of William O Brien, deceased [illegible] sons having claims against the [illegible] decedent are hereby required to present [illegible] with the proper vouchers to the [illegible] J Van Schuyver at his place of [illegible] First street Portland, Oregon, within [illegible] from the date hereof W J VAN SCH[illegible] WILLIAM [illegible]

Executors of the last will and testament [illegible] O B[illegible]

Portland Oregon Feb 26th 188[illegible]

ADMINISTRATOR S NOTICE—[illegible] hereby given that the undersigned [illegible] appointed Administratrix of the [illegible] ander Ring deceased, by the county [illegible] lumbia county Oregon and that all [illegible] sa d estate must be presented to [illegible] dence of said Ring deceased, in [illegible] or at the office of Northup & Gilbert [illegible] Port and verified as the law requires [illegible] months from the date hereof [illegible]

BERTHA A. RING, Admin[illegible]

of the estate of Alexander Ring, [illegible]

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BY TELEGRAPH TO THE O[illegible]

Death of a Railroad [illegible]

[illegible] March 1 —Joseph [illegible] of the Atchison and Se[illegible] president of the Pueblo [illegible] road, died of apoplexy [illegible] Saturday night

Raise of Wages at L[illegible]

[illegible] March 1 —At Lo[illegible] a general advance of wa[illegible] corporations within a few [illegible] manufacturing establi[illegible] joined in the increase which [illegible] by manufacturers withou[illegible] movement or workmen

A Socialist Scho[illegible]

NEW YORK March 1 —The so[illegible] York opened a school yester[illegible] street numbering 67 The chil[illegible] recruited principally from Ger[illegible] stated that it has been es abli[illegible] the teachings of priests, [illegible] Saturdays and Sundays [illegible]

Pork Packing at Cin[illegible]

CINCINNATI, March 1 —Por[illegible] the winter season in Cincinnati [illegible] amounted to 559 000 against [illegible] 000 decrease this year, 89 62[illegible]

Virginia Gives up the "M[illegible] System.

RICHMOND Va., March 1 —[illegible] the general assembly to-day p[illegible] pealing the Moffitt bell punch [illegible] re-establishing the license sys[illegible] operation May 1st

Terms of Compromise betw[illegible] Co. and the Pacific Ma[illegible]

NEW YORK, March 1 —The [illegible] the arrangement between [illegible] Steamship Company and th[illegible] roads are as follows A trai[illegible] to run five years has been agre[illegible] respective committees of the [illegible] Steamship Company The ro[illegible] steamship line $110 000 per [illegible] ation of the right of road[illegible] California passengers and freig[illegible] are to purchase two steame[illegible] the City of Peking and C[illegible] $1 200,000, paying for them in [illegible] $100 000 per month the purch[illegible] ject to inspection of the stea[illegible] days

Enforcement of the Sunday [illegible] York,

NEW YORK, Feb. 29 —The S[illegible] enforced again to day. The [illegible] company attempted to give th[illegible] the Central Park Garden [illegible] immense audience had gathered [illegible] captain stepped in and stopp[illegible] ings. The audience, which [illegible] were given tickets for the ne[illegible] at the Thalia.

A Serious Row

NEW YORK, March 1.—[illegible] gan and his brother had an [illegible] fight with Policeman Carter, [illegible] the latter was knocked down [illegible] shot and kicked and beaten, s[illegible] is feared that he will die. H[illegible] the sixteenth district.

Fire at Fall Riv[illegible]

FALL RIVER, Mass., March 1[illegible] City mill caught fire this [illegible] caused great consternation [illegible] city The firemen speedily [illegible] flames which originated in the [illegible] The general damage is slight [illegible] so injured that the mill may [illegible] Intense excitement prevailed [illegible] weavers fainted.

WASHINGTON O[illegible]

A Girl Outraged Robbed, [illegible] Killed.

WASHINGTON, March 1 —Fri[illegible] Miss Leers residing on Capitol [illegible] the way to church was struck [illegible] gled into an open lot by a ne[illegible] gaged and robbed her of a watch [illegible] book. It was nearly two hou[illegible] reached her home. Her throat [illegible] choking, one ear was nearly [illegible] head, and her body covered [illegible] from cuffs and kicks she had [illegible] young woman now lies in a [illegible] tion Thomas Shot [illegible] day and recognized as the assail[illegible] night a crowd of about one [illegible] marched to the Seventh district [illegible] and demanded the prisoner, bu[illegible] removed to another station. [illegible] guarded during the night by [illegible] serve police force.

Charged with Mu[illegible]

Bedford, Sandy, Penn and [illegible] been found guilty of the mu[illegible] Huth on the evening of the [illegible] last.

The Supreme Court Decla[illegible] Virginia Jury Law Unco[illegible]

WASHINGTON, March 1.—The [illegible] has given a decision in the [illegible] Strauder plaintiff in error, v[illegible] West Virginia. The question [illegible] the constitutionality of an a[illegible] Virginia legislature excluding [illegible] from jury service in the cour[illegible] This court holds that when a [illegible] is tried for his life by a jury f[illegible] zens of his own race are by st[illegible] pressly excluded, he is deni[illegible] tection of law guaranteed by t[illegible] of the fourteenth amendment [illegible] tution and that the state statut[illegible] such right is repugnant to said [illegible] provision The judgment o[illegible] court of appeals of West Virgi[illegible] Justice Strong delivered the o[illegible] Field dissenting.

The Supreme Court Agai[illegible]

The U S. supreme court co[illegible] after a recess of four weeks, a[illegible] entire afternoon to the reading [illegible]

More of the Postal [illegible]

The senate committee on [illegible] held two meetings to-day, befo[illegible] session of the senate, which [illegible] the subject of the star mail ser[illegible] This committee adjourned un[illegible] without vote on the pending [illegible] any amendments The expre[illegible] ion to day were such as indica[illegible] sibility that the committee w[illegible] senate to increase the amount [illegible] house by a sum sufficient to [illegible] mail service under existing [illegible] all star routes throughout th[illegible] the current fiscal year. It is [illegible] members of the committ[illegible] recommendation will be acco[illegible] a resolution of censure upon t[illegible] for its alleged extravagant exp[illegible] year's appropriation Postm[illegible] Key and Assistant Postmaster [illegible] informed the committee tha[illegible] the latest estimates, including [illegible] $200,000 for fines and deducti[illegible] tractors a deficiency appropri[illegible] 000 will be sufficient to me[illegible] ments of the existing service [illegible] only allow something for incr[illegible] not nearly so much as they [illegible] development of the western c[illegible] mand They have also infor[illegible] [illegible] that out of the amount [illegible] house bill ($1 070,000) not les[illegible] would have to be given to co[illegible] month s extra pay without se[illegible] the penalty prescribed by la[illegible] government in every case o[illegible] mail contract whereas an a[illegible] $1 500 000 would enable the [illegible] maintain all existing service.

Public Debt Statem[illegible]

The debt statement shows t[illegible] the public debt during Febru[illegible] 0[illegible] cash in the treasury $1 0[illegible] certificates $10 082 600, sil[illegible] $[illegible] 369 920 certificates of depo[illegible] $[illegible] 485 000 refunding certifi[illegible] [illegible] legal tender outstandin[illegible] fractional currency outstand[illegible] 118

Can't get Rid of Him [illegible]

From the Atlanta Const[illegible]

There are some things the [illegible] can stand and some it can [illegible] stand is the retirement of [illegible] into the republican party

An attempt will be made [illegible] stock Little Klamath lake wit[illegible]